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FARMING INDUSTRY GETTING WORSE

EVERY-DAY IN THIS PROVINCE, SAY NEW WESTMINSTER GRAND JURORS

Chinese Peddlers Have Killed Truck Gardening for Whites; Charge Made Against Dairies; Jurors Are Outspoken Regarding Faults of Physicians in Their County; Suggestion Made Concerning Compensation of Employees

New Westminster, Oct. 4.—A pessimistic future for the farming industry is forecasted in the presentment of the grand jury at the New Westminster assize court today. The jurors recorded the opinion that "things are getting worse every day," and incidentally blamed the peddling system adopted by the Chinese vegetable growers. In part, the presentment asserted:

"The majority of the members of this grand jury is composed of either farmers or men closely in touch with the farming industry, who consequently feel that they are particularly qualified to refer to the conditions under which the industry is suffering at the present time. These conditions are such that the whole industry is in a most unprofitable and unsatisfactory state, and things are getting worse every day. The number of the various branches of farming which in the past have been profitably conducted is being continually narrowed down.

"Owing to the peddling system of the Chinese vegetable growers, the farm truck business is practically dead already, while the present fraudulent or grossly careless system under which a good many of the city dairies are operating will soon cause dairymen to go the same way; the underweighting and underfeeding of milk and cream in this country is an open scandal. When such a state of affairs was found to exist in the logging business the gov-

ernment promptly passed an act providing for official government scalers; we call upon them to take similar action with reference to the dairy industry.

"It has been brought to our attention that some of the medical men resident within this county and in receipt of government moneys as health officers, etc., have, through their addiction to drink and drugs, at times been quite incapable of fulfilling their duties. This condition of affairs is within the personal knowledge of some of this jury. We feel sure that such a state of affairs only needs to be called to the attention of the medical association and the government to be at once rectified.

"It is a matter of common knowledge that a great many accidents are continually occurring in connection with railway construction in various parts of the province. We would suggest that all public service corporations should be compelled by act of parliament to provide an annual sum proportionate to the number of men employed, to be paid to the government, or to trustees, or to officials appointed by the government who should have administration of this sum, and that this should be in lieu of the various workmen's compensation acts so far as public service corporations are concerned, and that these sums should be paid by the government department or trustees in the form of annuities to the injured parties."

FRASER RIVER BLOCKED TO SALMON BY CANADIAN NORTHERN WORK; IT IS SAID

Seattle, Oct. 4.—That the salmon canning industry of Puget Sound, and Fraser river will suffer damages to the extent of millions of dollars by the blocking of the headwaters of the Fraser river by railway contractors engaged in constructing the Canadian Northern railroad is the opinion expressed by well-informed salmon canners.

The construction forces of this line are blasting a right-of-way down the canyon of the Fraser river, throwing thousands of tons of rock into the channel, thus forming an effective barrier and preventing the fish from proceeding to the spawning grounds.

The Fraser is the greatest spawning stream on the Pacific coast. It is the only stream in lower British Columbia in which the sockeye are propagated. Millions of fish have entered the stream and are now headed for the lakes and upper reaches of the river to deposit their eggs, and in due course the young fry would make their

way to the sea, returning as mature fish four years later.

That the obstruction being placed in the river may mean an irreparable injury, and in fact threaten with extinction the sockeye salmon industry, unless removed at once, is shown by the fact that this species enters Puget Sound and the Fraser in runs of commercial importance only once every four years. The pack of sockeyes this year is the greatest in the history of the industry, valued at \$12,000,000, with an additional catch of the cheaper grades amounting to \$3,000,000 more.

The Fraser river lies entirely within the province of British Columbia, and the problem is therefore one with which that provincial government can grapple. No action seems to have been taken yet by the officials to prevent the railway builders from continuing to dump rock into the stream. But unless the river is made passable to the fish, the sockeye run in these waters four years from now will be an exceedingly small one.

WALKS INTO LIGHT FROM MINE PRISON

Eight Days Shut in by Fall of Mineral, Thomas Toshesky Is Released

Centalla, Pa., Oct. 4.—Thomas Toshesky, a prisoner since Friday of last week in an abandoned chamber of the Continental mine of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, walked into the open air free and comparatively well man at 12 minutes before 1 o'clock this morning. He was taken to his home and at once put to bed, apparently none the worse for his remarkable experience.

It was 7:15 o'clock when the last barrier of coal was driven away and Toshesky crawled through the opening from his prison chamber into the tunnel which has been steadily driven toward him by eager, willing rescuers. Seven minutes later a miner crawled to the mouth of the tunnel and called to the top of the pit for blankets and hot water to be sent down.

The work of getting the man ready for his exit occupied the next few minutes and at 7:38 o'clock a file of men emerged from the heading, and heralded the approach of the hero of the occasion.

When he stepped on to the wooden platform just outside of the mouth of the narrow tunnel, and when he was able to stand upright, he paused an instant and looked upwards. He climbed the path to the rim of the pit almost unaided. A stretcher had been made ready and there were plenty of willing hands to carry him, but he refused.

CHILD MURDERED BY NEW YORK GUNMAN

Undertaker Tells Story of Being Forced to Take Charge of Body

New York, Oct. 4.—The battered body of a fair-haired little girl, killed by a blow on the head, lay in the Harlem morgue to-day while the police sought Joseph Depuma, a notorious Italian gunman, as her slayer.

The child's body was brought to the morgue in a macaroni box last night by Ralph Pasqua, an undertaker, who told a tale of having been coerced at a pistol's point to go to the gunman's flat and remove the body. In the flat he saw a blonde woman weeping.

When detectives reached the flat later she was gone and with her the gunman. The theory advanced is that the little girl had been kidnapped and was being held for ransom. There is no police record, however, of a child of that description being missing.

The undertaker was held to-day, pending further investigation of the matter. He says the gunman told him that he hit the child as she begged for water at night.

ALBERTA RAILWAY.

Edmonton, Alta., Oct. 4.—It is announced that J. D. MacArthur will move his shops from Transcona to Edmonton immediately, together with all machinery and equipment, it being his intention to do all work in connection with the Edmonton, Dunvegan & British Columbia Railway in this city.

CHAMPION OF THE PEOPLE



H. C. BREWSTER
Leader of the Liberal party in the province of British Columbia, who was the object of a remarkable tribute of honor and esteem at the hands of his friends in Vancouver last night.

VETERAN LUMBERMAN IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

J. R. Booth Superintending Work at His Mills at Ottawa When Beam Fell.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—John R. Booth, the veteran lumberman, lies at his home in a critical condition as a result of injuries received yesterday afternoon, when a big square of timber, a part of the ruins of the mill which was burned down a few weeks ago, fell on him. His left leg was broken, his left shoulder badly bruised and the left side of his face badly cut above the eye.

In spite of the serious nature of the injuries, the doctors are hopeful of his recovery. At a late hour this afternoon he was resting comfortably.

The accident happened while Mr. Booth was superintending a gang of men tearing down the ruins. An upright fell, striking him across the face and shoulders. He was knocked down and the timber fell across his legs. Mr. Booth is in his eighty-eighth year.

MILITANTS NABBED FIRING A DWELLING

One of Them Had Just Been Released From Prison and Admitted the Crime.

London, Oct. 4.—Militant suffragettes this morning set fire to a large unoccupied residence house at Hampton-on-Thames, a few miles above London. Two women were arrested on suspicion. A large quantity of suffragette literature was found about the grounds.

The women were identified in police court as Miss May Richardson and Miss Rachel Pearce. Miss Richardson, who was recently released from prison, where she was serving a term of three months, admitted that she had set fire to the house and hoped she had made a good job of it. The women were remanded for further hearing without bail.

Striking Sentences From Speech of the Liberal Leader Last Night

"The object of the Liberal party is the enactment of such legislation as will give to the masses the opportunity to participate in the natural wealth now being handed over to the favored classes."

"The Liberal party is a party of ideals, but these are not impracticable ideals."

"The purchasing of votes which has been carried on by the government of British Columbia is the most atrocious manipulation that has ever taken place in any province of the Dominion."

"We ask people to come to this province, but when they come the government of British Columbia says: 'There is no land for you until you pay the speculator for it.'"

"Railways are being built in this province which are heavily subsidized; they are practically government-built, but the government does not own them."

MILLIONS LOCKED IN SAFE NONE CAN OPEN

Death of Ottawa Official Renders It Impossible to Get Into Treasury Vault.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—In the west parliamentary block, among the vaults which contain the wealth of the nation, is a giant iron safe filled with gold, bonds, securities and valuables, but no member of the government or the government's 5,000 employees in the capital is able to unlock it.

This big safe has been locked since Tuesday, and will be locked until the man who designed the intricate combination unlocks it.

So valuable are the contents of the vaults that only two men in all Canada knew how to unlock it—James E. Rourke, comptroller of the currency, and Arthur B. Hudson, of the auditor-general's department. These two men knew the combination between them, but neither one of them could open it unassisted by the other.

Last Tuesday Mr. Hudson died suddenly, and now no one can open the safe. The maker of the vault has been sent for and, pending his arrival, the country will have to get along without the contents of the safe.

ONE HOUR IN JAIL.

Vancouver, Oct. 4.—S. Miller, a former alderman, was to-day sentenced to serve a term of one hour for bigamy. He had obtained a divorce in Seattle, but this was of no effect here. The court held Miller technically guilty, but decided that it was not a case for severe punishment.

OFFICIAL RETIRES.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—Charles Jones, chief clerk in the office of the governor-general, has been superannuated. He is being succeeded by Arthur Sladen, who has been civil secretary to Lord Minto, Lord Grey and the Duke of Connaught. Mr. Sladen will continue to act as secretary to the governor-general, and will combine the duties with those of chief clerk.

GET ON THE LIST

All who desire to be put on the voters' lists for the province, which lists of course are used in the case of a federal election, are reminded that the first Monday in October is the last day upon which they can make application to be placed on the lists at the November revision.

All who are not now on the list and who are entitled to be added to the coming revision should make application at once to the secretary of the Liberal Association, 619 Cormorant street, to the registrar of voters, Harvey Combe, at the law courts, or to any of the commissioners who are empowered to receive applications.

The qualification requisite is being a British subject of full age, with residence in the province for six months and in the district for one month before the claim to be inscribed on the list is made.

DUTY AND AIMS OF LIBERAL PARTY PLAINLY SET FORTH BY ITS LEADER

Vancouver, Oct. 4.—"Welcome to Our Leader" ran the bold legend in letters of flame-color over the centre table of the Dominion Hall last night with its banquet spread that the Liberals of Vancouver, aided by friends from the Capital and from other constituencies, might, under the auspices of their central and district association do honor for the first occasion en masse to H. C. Brewster, leader of the Liberal party of British Columbia.

Over five hundred people sat down to that banquet, and many others there were who looked on from the galleries. There was a burst of cheering for each recognized personage of note in the party ranks as the hall filled, and a tremendous ovation for the leader himself. Flags of Canada, of Ireland, Scotland, England, and the Union Jack of the Empire fluttered where they draped the walls as the cheering resounded through the hall. At the head of the table presiding over the gathering sat J. W. DeB. Farris, with Mr. Brewster at his right hand, and at his left, Senator Bostock.

Representatives of all the principal centres in the vicinity and from farther afield appeared at the welcoming function. There were contingents from Victoria, Nanaimo, Esquimalt, Duncan, the Islands, Prince Rupert, Alberni, Nelson, New Westminster, Delta and all the neighboring and suburban Liberal associations.

At the principal table there sat with President Farris, and the guest of honor, Ralph Smith, Maxwell Smith, J. N. Ellis, John Oliver, Major Hart-McHarg, Alderman Hepburn, Dr. F. B. Vrooman, C. Reid, E. Gault, A. Menzies, J. R. H. Bole, James McQueen, C. G. Cody, E. C. Appleby and George Kennedy, while every one of the tables had its full contingent of well-known Liberals welcoming their leader with a will.

Sonorously the loyal toast was responded to with song by all the company, and after the echoes of "God Save the King" had passed into silence, the chairman rose to introduce the welcoming programme.

There was small need, thought Mr. Farris, to explain to this audience the object of their assembly that night. It was fitting that the Liberals of Vancouver should take this opportunity of tendering to their leader a warm expression of their appreciation of his personality and of his services. Vancouver, banner city of the province to-day, would assuredly after the next general election become the banner city of Liberalism. Rightly so. Liberals had much to be proud of. For one thing the party had no sins to answer for. Their friends on the other side, he fancied, would be only too pleased to be in the same position that night, only that would be impossible (laughter).

After Mr. Farris spoke, the chair introduced G. E. Housser, who proposed the toast of "The Dominion."

Senator Bostock was next to speak and gave first of all his message of congratulations to the Liberals of British Columbia on their selection of a leader.

The Leader Speaks.

Mr. Brewster, who was received with loud cheers, said:

"I would be ungrateful indeed were I insensible to-night of the high honor you have paid the position to which I have been elected. I realize probably as few others can what it is to have warm friends, both personal and political, and I can tell you that to-night I do feel that I would certainly be most ungrateful were I not deeply sensible of this high honor. Those here to-night, who have gathered in this, the greatest centre of population within the province of British Columbia, are keenly anxious, not particularly to hear him who has been elected leader of the Liberal party nor to hear his oratory—because that is not one of his strong points—but that they might hear what has been evolved in the minds of the Liberal party, which in the long run is going to tend to the benefit of the province of British Columbia. (Hear, hear.)"

"Among the ranks of the Conservative party we have had orators, especially when you take into consideration the head of that party within the province, who have passed up and down, and with flowery language have told you very many things, have placed some of their important questions before you, talked on all four sides, and then left the questions unanswered, so it is possible that you are a little bit tired of oratory of that nature, and that it would be becoming in one who wishes really to do something to talk straight business. I believe what you like to hear are plain statements from well-intentioned people who have as their object and only object not simply the advancement of the Liberal party of British Columbia, but the betterment of the whole people of the province. (Cheers.)"

"In the first place I want to make a little statement—because I like to be fair. Possibly I would not be in the position I am to-night if you did not think I liked fair play. (Hear, hear.) I want to make this statement because I believe, and I give them credit, that there are members of the Conservative party in the province of British Columbia who are just as firmly convinced that they are right as I am that they are not in matters of policy. I want to treat them leniently, and in doing so I must in fairness to them have an alternative, because I do not believe that the administration in charge of the affairs of this province at the city of Victoria are true Conservatives. That is a pretty big statement."

Practical Ideals.

Mr. Brewster admitted that there was truth in the statement that the Liberal party was a party of ideals, but he joined issue with the statement that they were an impractical party. They had been decisively beaten at the last election in the province and the reason was not far to seek. Referring to the birth of the Conservative party in British Columbia he could tell them that there never was in the history of political parties in the Dominion of Canada a more outrageous bit of trickery than there was at the birth of the provincial, so-called Conservative party. (Cheers.)

"There sits on my right hand to-night," said Mr. Brewster, "a man who helped put out of business the coalition government from power and who was promised a seat in the cabinet, but who was turned down by that political trickery. This is a fact and should not be allowed to pass." (Cheers.)

Mr. Brewster proceeded to deal with the methods that had been employed

by the Conservatives to obtain votes in the rural districts by the appointment of road foremen or bosses and the buying of votes of the men who had gone out to settle on the land, but who were unable to keep their families and had to accept jobs from these road foremen and, therefore, become members of Conservative associations before they were employed. That, he said, was the most atrocious manipulation that had ever taken place in any province in the Dominion.

What Liberalism Offers.

"I do not come here to-night," he declared, "and I hope I never will come here for the purpose of criticizing the methods that have been adopted by the administration in Victoria to keep Liberal representatives from the floor of the House, but I come here to-night with a much higher object. I come here to-night advocating that the earnest effort on the part of the great Liberal party to come in and help us redeem this province from the awful condition into which it is dropping. (Cheers.)"

"You may ask what we are offering you in this new Liberalism which to-day is taking root and which you see in the faces of those young Liberals who surround me to-night. What is the incentive? The object is such legislation as will give to the masses the opportunity to participate in the natural wealth which is now being handed over to the favored classes. (Cheers.) That is the position the Liberal party is taking, and I claim that every man who is honest and is a good citizen can well subscribe to that creed."

Dealing with the methods that the Conservatives had adopted to wipe out the opposition at Victoria, he referred to the policy that was followed in regard to the timber, and stated that although they were told some eight or nine years ago that there would be a shortage of timber, the McBride government permitted an indiscriminate staking of the forest wealth which belonged to the people and not to him, with the result that to-day 9,000,000 to 12,000,000 acres of the best timber was not being used, but was being held by holding companies while its value was increasing day by day, so that they might reap the benefit, not manufacturing it, not making lumber cheaper for the construction of their homes, not giving employment, but for a mere pittance compared with the value of the timber, they had allowed this timber to be held for an advance which rightly should have gone to the treasury of the province.

Land Barred From the People.

"But there are even more despicable methods for acquiring that which the Almighty placed in the province for use of the people, the agricultural land of this great province, for purposes of revenue. They said that the speculator must have a chance. He got the chance and the other fellow is not in it. The law was that one man could purchase 640 acres of land or more square miles and no more. This law was just a little annoying, because there were great territories, and there were great corporations, who thought that it would be eventually much more valuable than it was at that time. And so they proceeded by a very clever method to get this great area."

Mr. Brewster described the methods employed—the employment of men cleaning streets and sewers, men who attended in barrooms, and even the men who cut their hair, all of whom they induced to sign a paper for land that they never intended to go out to, and by that means secured control of tens of thousands of acres of land.

The inability of the McBride government to cope with conditions, when

H. C. Brewster Guest of Honor at Banquet in Vancouver Last Night

NOTABLE ADDRESS ON PROVINCIAL ISSUES

No Land for the Settler Obtainable; Wealth in Timber and Acres Foolishly Squandered

the time of financial stringency came, was alluded to by the speaker, and yet he said they had the effrontery some time ago at New Westminster to take the credit for all the prosperity of the province, even the sunshine with which the province is blessed. The object, as he had tried to show, was to stay in power, and they did stay in by taking that which belonged to the people and purchasing votes—because after all it was just as much a crime simply to offer a man a job for his vote as it was to offer him \$10 or \$50. (Cheers.)

Labor Conditions.

With reference to the labor conditions that had been created by the policy of the government, or want of policy, bad as was the condition, he said: "I want you to think what the result will be in a few years. We read the other day that in the Panama canal a tug-boat had reached the level of one of the lakes, meaning that that great undertaking was approaching completion. In the old country there are many people who want to reach the western coast of Canada. The trip has been expensive, but now they see an opportunity of a much cheaper trip through the Panama canal. With that will come tens of thousands of people to this land that to them seems a land of promise, and I ask you in the name of all that is good, what are you going to do with them? Can you pass them on to the land? They did do so from the east by state-manships that was unequalled in Canada. We ask these men to come, but the government of British Columbia says 'there is no land for you until you pay the speculator.'"

"You in this city are responsible for the conduct of affairs here. What happens? Can you turn these people back? You cannot do it. You have invited them and they want to go on the land, but cannot because they have not the wherewithal to pay the speculators for it. What will they do? They will go into competition with the laborer in Vancouver and Victoria. They will create, where they can, a seaport slum, and you and I will have to put our hands in our pockets and pay for jails and for police and for sanitariums for those people who are brought under false pretences to this province and not allowed to get a living when they do come here."

Available Land All Staked.

What was the excuse for this policy offered by the government? Sir Richard McBride said to a delegation from this city that it "could be a crime to allow a settler to go out into the vastness of the province of British Columbia, to allow the ordinary prospector to take up land, until such time as he and his paternal government had provided means of transportation to those sections. To that end, he said, the treasury of the province was backing the construction of railroads."

"The treasury of the province," said Mr. Brewster, "is building railroads, but the people of the province do not own them. (Cheers.)"

"The treasury of the province was being put at the disposal of those who wish to give transportation and then after transportation is provided they would have a survey and then would be the time for the settler to go on the land."

"Mark you," he added, "railroads are building through the valleys of the province. The treasury stands behind them, they are heavily subsidized, they are practically government-built, but not government-owned. But there is a strange thing about it all this, that when you come to find the path of the railroad you will discover stakes all the way. Someone with a keen insight, no doubt, was responsible for this. Will Sir Richard or any other man tell me how he is going to assist in the settlement of districts through which he is providing transportation when the speculator holds every acre of land? There is the position, you have got it throughout the province. They have bulldozed according to their lights, but we say they have not put down a foundation at all, and we ask the Liberals of the province of British Columbia to realize the seriousness of the condition, to remember that the welfare of the province of British Columbia depends on you and you alone, and that you must come in and do what is right." (Cheers.)

PAULINE JOHNSON'S LAST.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—An interesting notice of the entry of an interesting copyright at the copyright branch, Ottawa, appears in this week's Canada Gazette. It is a poem entitled, "And He Said Fight On," by the late Pauline Johnson, and the entry is made by Evelyn H. C. Johnson, Nelson street, Vancouver.



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TWO DIE WHEN MOTOR IS STRUCK BY TRAIN

Ladies on Way to Hospital Ball in Edmonton Are Killed Instantly

Edmonton, Alta., Oct. 4.—In a motor car accident, which occurred at nine o'clock last night at the level crossing of the C. N. railway and Nanaimo avenue, Mrs. Lines, wife of W. E. Lines, manager of the Edmonton Brewing and Malting Company, and Miss Dorothy Clifford, also of Edmonton, were both instantly killed. F. R. Cochran, manager of the Dominion bank, Southside, had his leg broken and is badly bruised. The driver of the car, L. J. Jellert, son of S. T. Jellert, escaped uninjured.

The car was going north on Nanaimo avenue at the crossing at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour. Just as it reached the crossing, the Canadian Northern railway train from Winnipeg, running slowly as it was pulling out of the station two blocks away, reached the crossing. The car and the engine came together with a crash, the chauffeur not seeing the train until he was practically upon it.

The party was on the way to the annual charity bazaar at the time of the accident. The ball was abandoned.

FIRE IN FAMOUS CHURCH.

New York, Oct. 4.—Fire in Plymouth church, Brooklyn, caused \$5,000 damages yesterday. The church is one of the most famous in greater New York and its pulpit was once occupied by Henry Ward Beecher.

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WELSH HOME RULE URGED BY COUNCIL

People of Principality Are Behind Chancellor of Exchequer in Social Legislation

Colwyn Bay, Wales, Oct. 4.—The annual meeting of the Welsh National Liberal council held in Colwyn Bay was attended by 200 delegates. Sir J. Herbert Roberts, M. P. was in the chair.

In the annual report of the executive committee it was declared that, with the disestablishment of the church an accomplished fact next year, a new era in social and domestic legislation would begin. Mention was also made of the need for greater support of the Welsh parliamentary party by the Liberals of Wales.

The re-election of Mr. Lloyd George as president of the federation was proposed by Miss Gee. A resolution which expressed sympathy with the chancellor of the exchequer on the malicious political persecution of which he had been made the victim, and assuring him of his countrymen's active and wholehearted support in securing for the people a fuller recognition of their rights, was passed with great enthusiasm.

During the course of the council's discussions, a resolution was proposed on the subject of the government's land campaign by William George, brother of the chancellor of the exchequer. Mr. George expressed the hope that the measures taken by the government would be of a far-reaching character, safeguarding the interests of the people in town and country.

WEALTH OF GERMANY NEAR \$78,000,000,000

Fortune of the United States is Estimated by Expert at \$124,000,000,000

Berlin, October 4.—Karl Helfferich, director of the Deutsche Bank, has completed his report to the Kaiser of the wealth of the German nation. It will be published a few weeks hence and will be sold for \$20.

From proof sheets it appears that Dr. Helfferich estimates the aggregate total wealth of Germany at from \$75,000,000,000 to \$78,000,000,000. The wealth of France is placed at \$40,000,000,000, that of England from \$57,000,000,000 to \$65,000,000,000 and that of the United States at \$124,000,000,000. The German per capita wealth is placed at from \$1,100 to \$1,200, that of France, \$1,425; England from \$1,250 to \$1,385, and the United States \$1,160.

The annual income of the German people is placed at between \$9,000,000,000 and \$10,000,000,000, of which about one-sixth is used for public purposes. The amount used for private purposes could not be ascertained definitely, but is estimated approximately at \$5,000,000,000.

From the deposits in German commercial and savings banks it is deduced that the Germans save \$1,000,000,000 a year. Adding the automatic increase in values to the estimates the annual increase in the aggregate wealth is \$2,500,000,000.

The government has issued a map in colors which shows where aviators may and where they may not fly. They must not go within twelve to fifteen miles of Metz or the surrounding fortresses. A similar prohibition, which varies in distances, applies to all fortified places.

HONORS FOR SURVIVORS OF SCOTT EXPEDITION

Widows of Heroes Will Receive Those That Would Have Gone to Husbands.

London, Oct. 4.—The Royal Geographical Society's specially designed Antarctic medals will be presented to the surviving members of the Scott expedition by Lord Curzon, at a meeting of the society on November 1.

At the same time, at the request of the Italian Geographical Society, the president will present to Lady Scott the great Humboldt gold medal awarded by that society in memory of Captain Scott.

Silver duplicates will be presented to Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. Evans, widow of Officer Evans, and relatives of Captain Oates.

TRUE BILLS FOUND IN CUMBERLAND CASES

Four of Accused Are Now Being Tried at New Westminster Assizes.

New Westminster, Oct. 4.—Mr. Justice Clement yesterday afternoon refused the application for bail in the case of the four Cumberland miners in whom a change of venue had been granted from Nanaimo to this city. Previously the grand jury had returned true bills against each of the accused. The application was made by J. E. Bird, and had reference to James Connors, Joseph Naylor, Richard Goodwin and John Connors. Edward Morris was also charged, but no application for bail was made in his case. The applications were made in chambers before the opening of the assizes, and were laid over until the grand jury had reported on the cases. A. Dunbar Taylor, K.C., represented the Crown.

POISONER FOUND GUILTY.

Bartlesville, Okla., Oct. 4.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Laura M. Reuter, charged with having murdered her husband, a prominent attorney, at Tulsa, Okla., returned a verdict of guilty and recommended life imprisonment.

PROVIDING PORTFOLIO FOR ANOTHER MINISTER

Rumored at Ottawa That Health and Immigration Will Be Combined

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—The Evening Free Press says: "There will probably be legislation introduced at the next session to provide for the creation of a new department. The interior department has been growing in size for some years and has reached a stage now which makes it difficult for one man to handle."

"The department has a multitude of branches for the supervision of immigration, Indians, surveyors, astronomy, timber resources, parks and a number of other things."

"It is proposed to separate the immigration branch from the interior department and join it to a branch of the public health, which will be elaborately organized. Health and immigration will be placed under one minister, while the remainder of the present interior department will be given to the care of one man."

"It is not unlikely that owing to his professional training in medicine the new portfolio of immigration and health will be assigned to Dr. Roche, while R. B. Bennett, M.P. of Calgary, will succeed Dr. Roche as minister of the interior."

GREAT WATERWAYS BILL PASSES LEGISLATURE

Sifton Government's Proposals Endorsed by Majority of Over Two to One.

Edmonton, Alta., Oct. 4.—After a week's discussion and the voting down of two amendments offered by the opposition, Premier Sifton's motion for the second reading of the waterways solution bill, was passed by a vote of 36 Liberals to 17 Conservatives last night. The vote on each of the amendments was similar, all the Liberals supporting the government's measure. The members of the opposition, in their speeches throughout the week, contended for more particulars with reference to the proposed contract with J. D. McArthur. Yesterday afternoon Dr. Blow, South Canadian, produced an offer from J. D. McArthur, Broomer, Hughes, who have been engaged in work for the Canadian Pacific near Bassano.

THROUGH SERVICE PRINCE RUPERT TO FORT GEORGE

Vancouver, Oct. 4.—The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company has extended its train service east of Prince Rupert to the new townsite of Smithers.

The service as at present constituted consists of two trains weekly, leaving Prince Rupert Wednesday and Saturday morning on arrival of the G. T. P. steamers from Victoria and Vancouver. Trains leave Smithers on the return, Thursday's and Sundays.

Travel from Fort George to Smithers is now open by regular service. Mail stations are making regular connections between Fort George and Smithers.

The service now connects Aldermere with Smithers by both horse stage and auto stage; Aldermere with Decker lake, a distance of 71 miles, by horse stage, a two-day trip. Francois lake can be reached by boat from Decker lake, a distance of 10 miles, and wagon road 14 miles.

From Decker lake to the foot of Burns lake, 24 miles, is a three-hour boat trip. From Freeport to Fort Fraser, 44 miles, is one and a half day's journey by mail stage. The road from Fort Fraser to Fort George can be made in about three days. The roads during the winter time are good and there will be a through stage to Fort George this winter.

GREAT SOLDIER IS NOT TAKEN WITH AIR CRAFT

London, Oct. 4.—The majority of the members of Col. Sam Hughes' party of Canadian militia officers sail homeward on the Royal George to-day. Col. Hughes on Thursday night gave a farewell dinner, when the guests, included Lord Dunsborough, Sir Ian Hamilton and several Australian and New Zealand officers. The Canadian militia chief is still unconvinced of the lasting utility of air craft, though he admits that the army airman made brilliant achievements during the recent manoeuvres.

PARLIAMENT MAY OPEN LATE IN NOVEMBER

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—An unconfirmed report to the effect that the government has practically decided to call parliament for the third Thursday in November is in circulation here. There is strong local pressure for a November session, as it is better for business in the capital. It is known that officials of the various departments are working overtime in the preparation of estimates, and many of them express the belief that a November session is likely.

GUN LICENSES REVOKED.

Calumet, Mich., Oct. 4.—Mine guards and other employees of the Ahmeek Mining Company, a subsidiary of the Calumet & Hecla in the Keewauwan copper district, may no longer carry concealed weapons. The blanket license issued by the county authorities giving that right to the company, was revoked by Sheriff John Hoping and Prosecuting-Attorney Hamilton. They said the mine guards have been responsible for shooting in the district.

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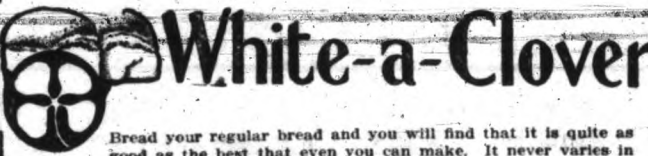
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A meeting of the Special Committee appointed to investigate into the methods of employing men to work on the Sooke Lake Waterworks will be held on Tuesday next, the 7th inst., in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 8 p.m. All those who are prepared to give sworn evidence of any irregularity in the employment of labor in connection with the said works are hereby requested to be open to the public. WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C., City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., 3rd October, 1913.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of George Herd, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 23rd of October, 1913.

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1913.

Solicitors for the Executors,

416-7 Central Building, Victoria, B. C.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Wallace, Late of Metchesin District in the Province of British Columbia.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of October, 1913.

Dated this 23rd day of September, A.D. 1913.

YATES & JAY, Solicitors for the Administrator.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Kersak, Late of the Municipality of Esquimalt, British Columbia.

All persons having claims against the above estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of October, 1913, after which date the Executor will proceed to distribute the said estate according to law, with regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 13th day of September, 1913.

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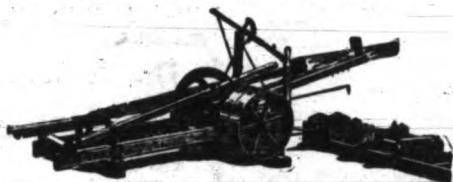
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**TARIFF BILL SIGNED;
DUTY BUT HALF DONE****President Wilson Speaks of
Work Before Party to Free
Nation From Monopoly**

Washington, D. C., Oct. 4.—Surrounded by the leaders of a united Democracy, President Wilson signed the Underwood-Simons tariff bill at 8.09 o'clock last night at the White House. Simultaneously telegrams were sent to customs collectors throughout the country by the treasury department putting into actual operation the first Democratic tariff revision since 1894.

In the course of an extemporaneous speech the president said:
"My feeling is one of profound gratitude that, working with the splendid men who have carried this thing through with studious attention, and doing justice all around, I should have had a part in serving the people of this country as we have been striving to serve them ever since I can remember."

"I have had the accomplishment of something like this at heart ever since I was a boy, and I know men standing around me who can say the same thing—who have been waiting to see the thing done which it was necessary to do in order that there might be justice in the United States."

"And so it is a solemn moment that brings such a business to a conclusion, and I hope I will not be thought to be saying too much of myself or my colleagues when I say that this, great as it is, is the accomplishment of only half of the journey. We have set the business of this country free from those conditions which have made monopoly not only possible, but, in a sense, easy and natural. But there is no use taking away the condition of the monopoly if we do not also take away the power of monopoly, and that is a financial rather than a merely commercial and economic power."

"I was quoting the other day to some of my colleagues in the Senate those lines from Shakespeare's Henry V, which have always appealed to me: 'If it be a sin to covet honor, then am I the most offending soul alive.' And I am happy to say that I do not covet it for myself alone. I covet it with equal ardor for the men who are associated with me, and the honor is going to come from them. I am their associate. I can only complete the work which they do. I can only counsel when they ask for my counsel. I can come in only when the last stages of the business are reached. I cannot covet the honor for myself, as much as I covet it for myself, and I covet it for the great party of which I am a member, because that party is not honorable unless it redeems its name, and serves the people of the United States."

"So I feel to-night like a man who is going happily in the way which I have half way along the journey, and demanding with a fresh impulse we shall go the rest of the journey, and sleep at the journey's end like men with a quiet conscience, knowing that we shall have served our fellowmen, and have thereby tried to serve God."

**WESTERN FREIGHT RATE
HEARING TO BE RESUMED**

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 4.—No date for the further hearing of the western freight rate case has yet been fixed by the board of railway commissioners. The hearing was to have been resumed on September 23, but as all the information asked by the board from the railways and counsel representing the government was not in hand it was decided to postpone the hearing.

The commissioners hoped to fix a new date within ten days, but will not be able to do so as counsel for the Dominion government and others have not yet been able to submit all the data asked for. The chief commissioner states that the date for the final hearing will be fixed without delay as soon as all the statements and comparisons have been submitted.

**WEST INDIES BENEFIT
FROM OPENING CANAL**

London, Oct. 4.—Secretary Aspinall, of the West India committee, enumerating the advantages to the West Indies accruing from the coming opening of the Panama canal, declares that in all probability several steamship lines will be established, offering services through the canal to the Far East, enabling Jamaica, for a moderate subsidy, to enjoy a position on a direct line of transport between the East and the United Kingdom, provided the tolls are moderate.

The British West Indies and British Guiana will enjoy additional facilities for marketing their produce at Vancouver and the western seaboard of Canada under trade arrangements with the Dominion.

ARRESTED IN TACOMA.

Tacoma, Oct. 4.—After driving from Vancouver, B. C., in a new Cadillac automobile which he is alleged to have bought in that city with a worthless \$2,900 cheque, Peter J. Wilson, said to be known also as W. B. Smith, was arrested here shortly on his arrival from the North and is held at the request of the Canadian authorities. He was captured by City Detective J. O. Smith and Frank Kennedy, Tacoma agent for the Cadillac. When arrested Wilson had a \$22,000 cheque in his pocket and only \$2.20 in cash.

SASKATCHEWAN READY.

Regina, Sask., Oct. 4.—Premier Scott, Hon. A. Turgeon, and Hon. J. A. Carter will be the representatives of Saskatchewan at the provincial conference to be held at Ottawa on October 27.

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London, Oct. 4.—The breaking up of more big estates owing to the working of what is called the "people's budget" is being witnessed in the person of the Duke of Devonshire. The Duke of Newcastle parted with considerable of their holdings, and the Duke of Portland's estates between Newark and Nottingham are in the market. Lord Shrewsbury has sold 1,000 acres, or nearly all of his Cheshire estate, and Lord Islington is selling his Hampshire estate of 4,000 acres in Wiltshire, within eight miles of his country seat at Hartman. The tenants have received notice to quit.

Ever since the passage of the budget referred to the sales and offers of sales of lands by many noblemen have been out of all comparison with previous years. The imposition of fresh taxes by the budget and the threat of more to come disgusted many holders of large estates who have been receiving practically no income on the capital value of their holdings, and they believe their money can be invested to better advantage abroad. Land speculators are buying most of the big estates, but a few wealthy owners have been able to sell their property in plots direct to the tenants.

The people who are supposed to benefit by the breaking up of these estates are the farmers, but now they appear to have to deal with a middleman in the shape of the speculator, who must get his profits.

"There is a dearth of purchasers because people seeking an investment for their money will not touch land or houses for fear of impending taxes. Another move has been made in the campaign to secure British exhibitors for the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco. An office of "the British Committee of the Panama Exposition" has been opened on Northumberland avenue, from which exposition pamphlets and other literature, as well as photographs, will be distributed throughout the United Kingdom.

Practically every British theatre was represented at the farewell luncheon given to Cyril Maude, the actor, prior to his departure for New York by the British Theatre Managers' Association. It is estimated that the capital represented at the luncheon amounted to \$170,000,000.

THIRTY PEOPLE DROWNED.

Rio Janeiro, Oct. 4.—Thirty persons are believed to have been drowned through the sinking of the military tug Guarany yesterday by the steamer Borborema, of the Lloyd-Brazilian line. The Guarany was following the naval manoeuvres when the Borborema struck her. There were fifty-one persons on board the tug, including several naval officers.

FIRE VISITS PEMBROKE.

Pembroke, Ont., Oct. 4.—One of the worst fires in the history of this place, causing a loss of \$60,000, took place yesterday, when the valuable Hunter property on Main street, next to the post office, was burned to the ground. Conditions were such that the fire had a long start before it was discovered, and prompt action was required to rescue a woman who was ill in one of the buildings.

CHANGING STREET NAMES.

Edmonton, Alta., Oct. 4.—An injunction restraining the mayor, city commissioners and members of the city council from proceeding further with the re-numbering of houses, and re-naming of streets within the city limits, was taken out yesterday afternoon on behalf of R. A. Lawrence.

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"Little Mischief" Silk and Wool Hose, for ages of 6 months to 6 years, in black, tan, white, pink and sky. Per pair, 50c and 40c

Boys' and Girls' Heavy Quality 1-1 Rib Hose, in black only. Per pair, 50c to 35c

Boys' Strong School Hose, extra strong knees. All wool. Per pair, 65c to 40c

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Though the demand for better roads has been world-wide and clamorous, it was the advent of the motor vehicle that compelled public action. The revolution effected by the internal combustion of the engine and the pneumatic tyre was visible in the general expansion of all kinds of traffic.

France was the first country to be seized of the urgency of the problem and in 1902 convened the first international road congress. This conference was held in Paris, and was attended by as many as 2,250 members, representing 27 different countries. At the inaugural meeting questions of road administration, construction, maintenance and associated problems were discussed.

This meeting was followed by a second one in Brussels, while the third congress has just been held in London. Many hundreds of delegates, representing governments and societies in all parts of the world, assembled on June 24 at Westminster, and devoted the whole of the week to the discussion of detailed questions submitted by the national expert committees. According to the Times, 39 governments, controlling practically all the civilized countries of the world, were directly represented. The congress, of which the king is patron, was organized by a council elected from numerous bodies, administrative, scientific and professional, interested in the road of Great Britain, and acted in co-operation with the permanent committee of the international commission of road congresses.

Chancellor Spoke. One of two remarkable reports dealing with the traffic and with road expenditure were circulated at the conference. Mr. Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, who presided at the inauguration, quoted some striking passages from one or two of them. The increase in traffic was illustrated by the case of one standard aerial road out of London.

"Twenty years ago," he stated, "if his hearers had been at that spot, they would probably have found a few light vehicles and one or two heavy carts. Ten years ago would have been found perhaps a stream of bicycles, but on a Sunday morning recently in a single hour there had passed 100 bicycles, 50 motor-bicycles, 50 motor omnibuses, 300 motor-cars and 15 horse-drawn vehicles, and, in addition to that, on a Monday morning would be found a number of heavy motor delivery vans. That was a revolution in the roads of the country."

There were now 220,000 motor vehicles in Great Britain and Ireland alone. That was twice as many as the nearest country in Europe, but only a third of the number in the United States of America. The effect of all this was that the question of roadmaking had once more become an important social, economic and financial question for the consideration of the country—especially financial. It urgently pressed upon engineers, upon municipalities, upon governments, and especially upon ratepayers. In 1892 the roads of England and Wales had cost to maintain £8,500,000. Twenty years later—last year—they had cost £15,500,000, practically double.

Do Least Damage.

In Europe one of the most important aspects of road construction is adaptability to motor traffic. It has been proved, contrary to prevailing opinion, that motors do not damage the roads to as great an extent as horse-drawn vehicles. Given a well-constructed road, with a smooth surface, pneumatic tires cause practically no damage. Pneumatic tires do harm only when the road surface is loose. The initial cost of construction of a well-made road is very great, in comparison with the ordinary earth-bound macadam, but experience has amply demonstrated that the most expensive road is ultimately the cheapest. The cost of maintenance of a road sealed with some bituminous binder is infinitesimal in comparison with the ordinary metalled surface road. This is a phase of the subject which interests the cities and suburbs, however, more than country districts. In the country mechanical traction at present offers little serious competition to the horse.

Two Bay City (Mich.) motorcyclists are planning a trip which will bring them into the capital cities of each state in the Union. The riders will distribute advertising matter concerning Bay City en route.



MOTOR-CYCLE CLUB MATES

As they were inseparable companions, Damon carried the headlight and Pythias the tail-light.

MOUNTED POLICE TO USE AUTOMOBILES

Ottawa Authorities Plan Equipping Each Division With Two as Start

R.N.W.M.P. has always stood for Royal North West Mounted Police, and the name has gone round the world until the force bearing it has become one of the most famous police organizations in existence at this or any other time in the world's history, but it may not be long until the letters stand equally well for Royal North West Motor Police.

Nothing has borne more striking testimony to the large part mechanical inventions are playing in the progress of mankind than the unofficial report, just sent out from Ottawa, that the authorities are contemplating the fitting out of the Mounted Police with automobiles, and that the present intention is to provide each of the nine districts into which the vast area is divided with two motor cars, each to cost about \$3,000.

Day of Change. While the automobile has invaded practically every department of life, private and public, in Canada, the Mounted Police have hitherto been immune from attack and there were few residents of the prairie who felt that the horse, inseparable companions of the men in red, often shaggy and ill-groomed, but always the best animals for their purpose to be found in all the country, would give way to the mechanical mode of transportation. If the department carries out the plan intimated to it, the day of change has come, and it will be as uncommon as the far-famed officers of the law setting out on their rounds in the latest and most approved type of gasoline-propelled machines.

Only a Start. But it is not intended that the automobile shall immediately displace all the horses in the employ of the government for Mounted Police purposes. If it were many more than two cars for each of the divisions would be required as there are a great many more horses than the equivalent of two automobiles in each division. It is understood that the provision of two cars for each division is merely by way of initial trial, and that the later policy of the department will be determined upon the success of the new mode.

Experience Will Decide. The work the cars can perform for the police is to be decided by the experience gained with those first provided. Apart from the canvas used for trips partially or entirely by water, the constables have depended practically solely on the horse for transportation during summer. Where the policemen went it was usually held that the horse could go also. It was a very ordinary sight to see a constable setting out for a long cross-country ride, and with compass as guide, ignoring what train there were and riding straight to his goal across the prairie. Or he would be called upon to send his mount down into a coulee and up the other side in order to cross the depression. With the automobile, however, it is expected that the course of the policemen will be modified. The coulee is one problem to the agile, well-trained horse and another to the automobile. It is thought the men will be found riding along trails more frequently than they have been in the past.

Will Be Watched. It is expected the maximum of usefulness will be had for the automobiles in the southern portions of Alberta and Saskatchewan, where the settlement is great and the trails and roads the best in the provinces. In the great north, where the men in red travel, of course, there are conditions which can be met by neither horse nor automobile.

Whatever place the automobile is destined to fill in the work of the famous police force, the announcement that it is to be adopted is full of interest. The advantage in speed the motor car has over the horse will be only one of many features that will be watched closely by many.

NATURAL ADVANTAGES.

Robert Lowe, afterwards Lord Sherbrooke, says the Argonaut, once saw a deaf member of parliament trying his best to catch with his ear-trumpet the words of an extremely dull speech. "Just look at that foolish man," said Lowe, "throwing away his natural advantages."

MUST KEEP TRAFFIC CONSTANTLY MOVING

Proposal is Made in New York to Prevent Stopping of Vehicles

Traffic experts in New York have evolved a new scheme for the handling of vehicles in congested business thoroughfares that is expected to increase the efficiency of the present system approximately 50 per cent. The rotary movement of automobiles and wagons at street intersections is declared to solve the dilemma in which New York now finds itself due to the tremendous increase in motor cars, for traffic is kept constantly moving.

The rotary scheme, conceived by William Phelps Eno, is to be tried in Fifth avenue in New York city and the experiment will be watched with keen interest. The last record taken of traffic in that important thoroughfare in the nation's metropolis showed the average stop under the block system was thirty-seven seconds, in which time most of the vehicles are from two to three blocks away, leaving the street vacant for that distance. The rotary scheme will obviate this, since there will be no stop and vehicles will proceed with and in the current of the stream of traffic, instead of against it at right angles, and easily weave themselves into place and out again at will, spreading practically uniformly over the entire surface of the street, thus increasing its traffic capacity about 50 per cent.

Under the present system much valuable time is lost while, for instance, east and west traffic is blocked while vehicles bound north and south are

PROPOSES TO TRAVEL IN TRACKLESS TRAIN

Californian Doctor Has Completed Motor Caravan for Transportation

Dr. L. C. Harvey, of Upland, Cal., after working for years to make an ideal touring outfit, announced recently that he had succeeded and will shortly start with his wife and son on a ten or twelve-year tour throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico.

Dr. Harvey has constructed a trackless train which provides every comfort and even many of the luxuries of home. His motor caravan, consisting of the motor car and two large enclosed wagons, has in the equipment electric lights, running water, screen doors, spacious beds, writing tables and a library. Should the doctor decide to leave the bulky wagons of the train behind he can detach the motor car and tour about with all the comforts still at his command. On a smaller scale he has duplicated the living facilities in the car which serves as a tractor.

The car, together with the various other conveniences, has cost nearly \$10,000. The wagons are of special construction throughout. The floors are maple, the framework of hickory and the siding and ceiling of oak. The furniture is built in as a unit with the body, also of oak. The couplings are arranged so that the two wagons pulled by the car will trail around corners and curves in the same tracks where the machine goes.

The water system is arranged with an eleven-gallon tank under the car. This tank is connected to the air line

REMARKABLE TRIP IS MADE BY MOTORIST

New York Man Travels Forty-Three Thousand Miles in Nineteen Months

E. M. Pierce, of New York, has been known throughout America as the man who has made use of his automobile both as an office and a home, has driven his car, more than 43,000 miles in nineteen months, and is now on his way to do some more globe-trotting to California.

The big mileage the Pierce party has piled up to date is due to their remarkable trip last season, which consisted of a tour all the way around the United States in the same car.

Is Good Roads Friend. "I am a booster of good roads and thoroughly approve all that is being done for a transcontinental highway," says Mr. Pierce. "I travelled through thirty-two different states last year in my car, and have already this season covered New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia, and everywhere find the roads to be in much better shape this year than last. This is prima facie evidence that the interest in good roads is not confined to any one locality, but that there is a general awakening throughout the country as a whole."

Mr. Pierce's business interests are scattered in many sections of the United States and naturally his interest in the good roads movement, and especially the transcontinental highway, has a deeper foundation than that of the ordinary motorist who does not get out of his own locality.

The Best Roads. Mr. Pierce claims a unique record on his ride from New York to Portland, Or., which he says was negotiated without a mechanical adjustment.

On this summer's trip the Pierce party will retrace part of last season's route, especially in the Southwest and Southern California.

For pure touring enjoyment, Mr. Pierce asserts America is without a rival even in the old countries, which he has toured extensively. Here are some of his delights on road conditions on his border line tour: "The best roads on our entire trip were in New York state and in New Jersey. After leaving the East, the Pacific highway proved to be a remarkable stretch of road. It is well sign-boarded and kept in the best of repair."

In Western Canada we had to keep as close to the Canadian Pacific railway as possible; at one point we were forced to cross a railroad bridge which was in the course of construction. There are many delightful alpine trips to be made in British Columbia.

Caught in Sand Storm. "Between Portland and San Francisco we climbed the longest grade in the world, in the Sierrita mountains. This is a continuous rise of thirty-five miles right out of Shasta Springs. The road is cut along the face of the mountains, with an 800 to 900-foot drop on one side and a rise on the other side of the same distance. The Sierrita mountains are beautiful and well worth the trip."

"We were caught in a sand storm on the California desert and held up for more than twenty-four hours because of the shifting sands, which drifted high above the running boards. This was the most trying experience of the whole trip, as we were without food and had to use the shovel a whole lot in order to get our car out of the sand."

"The roads for the rest of the journey were on the whole good, but the temperature was somewhat oppressive at the time of year we happened to be there. The scenic wonders that await the tourist in this country will amply repay the traveller for any hardships that are encountered. This is one of the main reasons I have elected to wind up this summer's tour in the Southwest and Southern California."

\$100,000,000 IN TIRES

Enormous Sum Spent Annually in the United States; Trade Has Grown With Expanding Business.

"The most authentic figures obtainable on the sale of automobile tires in the United States annually roll up to nearly \$100,000,000," states a tire authority.

"This estimate of the yearly output of tires may be regarded as safely conservative. It is likely that if the exact figures were at hand another \$25,000,000 or so could be added. "In conjunction with the automobile industry, and as one of its most potent aids, the tire business has boomed forward by leaps and bounds during the past decade."

It has become a tremendous commercial proposition in itself and has reached a point where the manufacturer, if he is to keep pace with the phenomenal and calculate along lines that are emphatically broad gauge. "Big results are necessary in every department of the industry, and to accomplish these results vast and minutely organized resources are imperative."

WHAT IS IDEAL POWER?

The ideal power for a motor car is probably the most widely debated automobile question of to-day.

One has but to wander up and down the show rooms to appreciate this. The average motor car of standard make comes very near having enough power for anyone. Excessive power means increased cost of running expenses.

Excessive power or speed is not a necessity. The legal speed and the unwritten law of safety demand the restriction in the use of power in automobiles. Therefore, to have what should not be used means the presence of something that is not necessary, and in the case of the automobile means an expense which brings no return.

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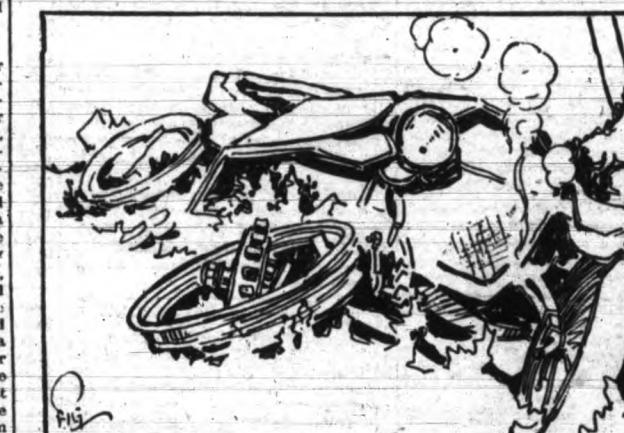
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ACCIDENT NEAR TORONTO



The first picture shows the scene of the automobile accident on Cookville Hill, Dundas road, near Toronto, when three of the occupants of the car were killed and two others seriously injured. The second picture shows the wrecked auto, which was destroyed by fire.



given the right-of-way. By the rotary plan, these stops would be obviated, and the stream of vehicles would be more uniform and easier to control. The plan has been worked successfully in Columbus Circle in New York, and with a few changes, it is to be given a thorough trial in Fifth avenue, where a far greater volume of travel must be handled.

The coming of the automobile and the commercial truck has sent back a large number of horses and wagons and thus quickened the movement of traffic in the business districts; but the motor cars are increasing so rapidly that the regulations require constant amendment and changes. New York naturally has been the first to adopt radical alterations, and traffic experts see in the rotary system a solution of a perplexing situation.

CARBON DEPOSITS.

Carbon deposits in the cylinder heads and on top of the piston are the greatest trouble to the motorist, and until the oxygen gas process was recently discovered the only sure way to get all the carbon out was to take the cylinders off and scrape the carbon out by hand, which takes two or three days.

The oxygen gas method originated in Germany and is now the most approved, cleanest and quickest of all systems. Oxygen gas is non-inflammable itself, but when a stream of it is thrown against carbon deposit and a flame applied the carbon is consumed completely, leaving only a pinch of fine dust to an entire cylinder. The heat in burning the carbon is so slight that the fingers can be placed in the valve pocket immediately after without burning the skin. It takes only about two hours to clean a four-cylinder motor of carbon by this improved process."

Two additional motorcycles have been purchased for the Regina (Mich.) police department.

CALL IS STRONG.

Desire to Own Car is More General Now Than at Any Previous Time.

To-day the call of the automobile is stronger in the land than ever in the history of the motor car.

Every man wants a car, and his wife nurtures the same ambition. A man of unlimited means buys what pleases his fancy and does not worry about the bills. A man of moderate income has been figuring for years, waiting for the time to come when he could afford to own a machine.

He has been kept out of the field by the tales of fabulous amounts spent for machines and their operation. He has feared to run the risk of incurring heavy expenses of upkeep, although he well knew the innumerable pleasures he would derive. His anxiety lost the car eat up in a month almost as much as he could earn in two has been the greatest drawback to a greater and more universal use of the automobile. In previous years his fear had some foundation, but to-day it is entirely unfounded. The high quality, low-priced automobile is well within his reach.

TALKED OF ROADS.

National Legislation for Highways Discussed at Big Detroit Convention.

National roads legislation was a topic second to none discussed at the American Road Congress just held in Detroit, Mich. This subject is one which has greatly concerned the A. A. National Good Roads board, and hence it is logical that the national legislation session should be under the auspices of the American Automobile Association, which co-operates with the American Highway Association in this most important of good roads gatherings. The American Highway Association includes in its membership the general good roads associations in all parts of the country, while the American Automobile Association contains some 500 state and local motor clubs, though both the A. H. A. and the A. A. A. also include thousands of individual members. Since the National Association of Road Materials and Machinery Manufacturers conducts its annual exhibition as a part of the American Road Congress, the country-wide importance of the gathering places it in advance of all highway conventions.

PREPARE FOR TIRE.

Cleanliness of Rim Before Adjustment is Important Factor, Says Authority.

An interesting lesson on how to put a tire on a car is given by a tire authority. "Before applying tires remove rust and all other foreign matter. If the tire has been ridden deflated at any time, mud may have accumulated on the rim, and unless this is removed the tire cannot adjust itself properly. Soapstone dusted on the rim will act as a lubricant and make it much easier for the tire beads to slip into their correct position, thereby reducing the danger of pinching the inner tube to a minimum."

"Before placing the inner tube inside of the case inflate just enough to round it out. Dust the tube and inside of case with talc, which will reduce the friction and prevent adhesion of the tube to case after heated in service. If too much talc is used, however, and any water should work its way on the inside of the tire, there is danger of its coming between the tube and the case. Powdered graphite is not quite so nice to handle as talc, but is a much more durable lubricant."

SELLING WELL.

Davie & Head Have Had Good Business in Repairs and Second-hand Cars.

Messrs. Davie & Head have been more busy during the last two months than ever before in the history of the firm, and sales have been excellent. The company is making a specialty of repairs and second-hand sales, and during a few weeks have disposed of 11 machines that have been overhauled and renovated by first-class mechanics. For the present Mr. Davie is not bringing in any new models, and is studying the needs of the local market for the coming winter in respect of cars.

PARIS BANS STEEL TIRES.

Following the lead of Germany, Paris has now decreed that the steel-tired commercial vehicle shall go and that speeds of all "poids-lourds" shall be restricted to seven and one-half miles an hour. The edict, which is one of the results of the efforts of the new prefect of police to reform street and traffic conditions, provides further that rubber tires must be applied to all such machines before October 15 next. Heavy haulage is well established in the French metropolis and heretofore the traffic has been unrestricted as to speed and practically without restriction as to weight.

SHE USES CAR.

To those who have visited any of the lore-laden Spanish missions that, centuries old, still nestle quaintly in the mountains and valleys of California, a modern automobile scarcely belongs in the picture. Yet Miss Lucretia Del Valle, an actress who plays the leading role in the "Mission Play," in commemoration of those venerable institutions, graciously links a car with her inspiration. For several days Miss Del Valle toured among the missions, absorbing "atmosphere" and traditions in preparation of her work in the play.

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SPORTING NEWS

REMARKABLE RUNNING TO FORM

FEATURES WILLOWS' RACING

Rimfax and Daylight Repeat Wins of Previous Day; Gaty Pallen Chalks Up a Nice Race

Consistent racing has been one of the big features of this year's turf stars at the Willows, and yesterday no less than two winners of the previous day went right out and repeated the triumphs in the face of even greater opposition.

Rimfax and Daylight had won on Thursday, but the public refused to believe that they could repeat with the result that both of these cracks went to the post rank outsiders. It was a mere gallop for Daylight, while Rimfax beat Jerky by a nose at the wire in one of the most thrilling stretch finishes of the afternoon. Gaty, Pallen and Safranor popped home in front with a little to spare, but the long shots did not have their innings, when Tallow Dip, Ben Stone, Rimfax and Gaty Girl took down first money from large fields.

Safranor's New Mark. Canapa established the record for the day over the six-furlong course on Thursday, but Safranor, with Claver in the saddle, won all by herself in the grand time of 1:15 3-5, clipping a fifth of a second off the time of the Patterson mare. Canapa, however, shouldered 114 pounds, while Safranor went in at the fair weight of 104. Mammy also

set a new mark for the Fraser course, finishing three lengths in front of Sucus in 3:5, which is a fraction better than the time set by Rimfax on Thursday. This pair are, therefore, to be reckoned as the fastest sprinters on the track over the shortened course. Gaty Girl is next, with Rimfax covering the course yesterday in exactly the same time that he did the day before. This is remarkable racing to form, while Daylight won the fourth race, a six-furlong dash in one-fifth of a second better than it took the Eckert entry to run the same course the day before. Both of the Rimfax wins were scored under a hard drive, so that it may be taken that he can hardly do better than this at the present age. He is one of the most promising two-year-olds at the Willows, and is expected to be a real turf star within a year.

A Popular Win. Gaty Pallen's victory in the mile event was one of the most popular wins of the meet. The local stallion broke in front, Jockey Pallen handling his mount in finished style. Kelsetta challenged in the stretch, but was never dangerous. Safranor also scored an easy win, Claver winning as he pleased from Ramay and Sallie O'Day, both previous winners. James Blackstock and Lambertha were favorites for the final, but Tallow Dip came through in the back stretch with a run that carried this animal far into the lead. Claver led the jockeys, with O'Brien again close up. Stevens also rode several nice races.

JOHNSON CLEARED



ERNE JOHNSON
Westminster defence star who was exonerated by a Vancouver judge in the matter of jumping a Wanderer Hockey Club contract.

BEES WILL NOT DRAFT PLAYERS

Victoria Club Owners Prefer to Purchase Their Men Out-right; All-Stars-Beaten

There is one thing that will favor Johnny Rawlings in his trial in the big leagues and that is his "pop" and speed. Rawlings was undoubtedly the prettiest base stolen in the league and if Mike Lynch had allowed him to cut loose and start stealing bases way back in April, no less an authority than Harry Meek states that he would have pilfered over a hundred bases this year. Lynch's policy was to hit in the runs, instead of going after the bases. His policy fell flat when the team struck its first batting slump. Victoria would have finished higher up this year had the club started stealing bases earlier and next year this will be one of the principal lines of attack under the Delmas management.

Bees Not Drafting. Victoria will not put in any drafts for players this year, but President Wattolet intends to take a trip east this winter, during which he will line up some new men for his 1914 squad. Manager Delmas has filed a list of ball players that he needs and it need not surprise the fans if they see an entirely new club in the field. The manager is not satisfied with his infield, and this will be his first consideration. Rawlings' absence leaves a huge gap at second, while it will be hard to fill Swain's place in the outfield. Crum and Zimmerman are the nucleus of the outfield, with Alberts as utility. Brooks may be used in a trade, while the club is after a couple of experienced right-handed pitchers. There is enough young blood in the pitching department and gunners with older heads are what the Bees are seeking.

The draft season for class A clubs does not end until October 4, while class AA clubs have till September 27 to claim all the players they want. The dates are as follows:

Class A, between September 30 and October 4.
Class B, between October 7 and October 12.
Class C, between October 15 and October 20.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 4.—Chief Cadreau was invincible and the champions defeated the All-Stars by a score of 3-0. The series now stands 3-2 in favor of the All-Stars. Kaster was hard hit in the pinches, while Cadreau held the visitors to two hits.

Score—R. H. E.
All-Stars..... 0 2 1
Vancouver..... 3 10 3

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Eastern Soccer Association Breaks With A. A. U.

Simply because the Province of Quebec Football Association, which embraces the leading clubs in Montreal, Quebec and other eastern cities, wanted to run a Marathon in connection with their annual match on Thanksgiving day, the A. A. U. stepped in and said that it would not grant any permit for such a race. The soccer men state that they will hold the race, regardless of the action of the A. A. U. and are going ahead with their preparations for this event. With the Y. M. C. A. Swimming Association and soccer clubs arrayed against it, the Amateur Union is in for a pretty tough session in the near future. The eastern athletic bodies are calling for a house-cleaning in the A. A. U. and apparently the only way to bring this about is to start trouble. When the A. A. U. recognizes as an amateur league the National Lacrosse Union, then it is time for it to close up shop or else greatly alter its present amateur clause.

Vancouver Judge Dismisses Johnson Case.

As was generally expected on the Coast, Sammy Lichtenhein of the Wanderers was the goal when he tried to recover \$2000 from Ernie Johnson simply because the latter lived up to a P. C. H. A. contract and played hockey on the Coast last winter. Johnson signed two contracts, one with the Vancouver club and another with the Wanderers. At the last moment he reconsidered his action and decided to come to the Coast with the result that Lichtenhein entered action in a Vancouver court. The case was held up for some time and judgment was finally delivered to the effect that as Johnson had kept his first contract, the second paper could not be legal and the costs were imposed upon the plaintiff, Sammy Lichtenhein. While this was a complete victory for the Coast Hockey contracts, it also serves to show the hockey star of to-day that a contract is binding and the one who jumps such an agreement can be reached through the law, just the same as in any ordinary business dealing.

COAST CLUBS ARE LINING UP TEAMS

New Manager for the Royals; Champions Will Be Intact With Exception of Producers

Few hockey fans realize that in only two weeks' time most of Victoria's world's championship hockey seven will be taking their first spin on the blades. Manager Patrick has stated that the Royals will be thrown open for skating on October 17 and he intimates that hockey practices will start much earlier this season than last. Of course it will be impossible for the out of town men to get here for the preparatory work, but Bobby Rowe, Walter Small, Skinner Poulin and Lester Patrick will be able to grind off the summer's fat before the blades of the squad arrive. The absence of Producers is not going to hinder Victoria's chances of holding the cup any, and manager Patrick is authority for the statement that the London youth will be replaced at all costs.

Terminal's Chances. So far, all of the new men have been awarded to either Vancouver or New Westminster. Considering that Vancouver will lose Frank Patrick and possibly Carl Kendall and Jack Macdonald, the Terminal's come in for the first consideration in the matter of material. Neighbors and Lalonde, also new recruits, will work a great improvement in the maroon and white seven, which greatly lacked a capable net guardian last winter. Then Vancouver needs a fast scoring forward, one who can take passes close in and hit the net. Poor shooting was one of Vancouver's chief weaknesses without mention last year, whereas Victoria gained a great lead principally because of the remarkable scoring ability of the champions.

Royals' New Manager. Under a new manager Westminster expect to do a great deal better than last winter. The Royals were handicapped because of the delay in getting their rink open, while injuries to Macdonald and Johnson also hurt the Terminal Beiles. Ernie Johnson, and Hugh Lehman will direct the attack of the yellow and black this year, so that a better showing may be expected of this club. George Rochon was coming like a house afire towards the close of the year and with Johnson completes a grand defence. The addition of Throp to the forward line in place of Gardner and speed and scoring strength to the line, with Mallen, O'Brien and Macdonald to complete the attack.

Champions Are Ready. Bert Lindsay will again be between the poles for the Senators, with Lester Patrick and Bob Genge for the defence. Genge improved wonderfully last winter while the two veterans have never shown better form. Dundardale and Poulin are again slated to work in centre ice, with Rowe and Small on the wings. Victoria will also have Finch Ulrich back, while there are a couple of high class amateur stars slated to break in with the champions. Nothing short of a complete reversal of form upon the part of the above athletes can keep them from again winning the title, though October hockey predictions are more guess work than real prophecy. On their showing at home and abroad last winter, however, there was not a staid hockey aggregation in the whole Dominion than the P. C. H. A. title holders, and they will take a lot of beating this year.

BIG LEAGUE SCORE BOARD

NATIONAL.			
Yesterday's Results.			
At New York—Philadelphia, 3; New York, 12. (Second game). Philadelphia, 4; New York, 4. (Called ninth, darkness).			
At Boston—Brooklyn, 1; Boston, 3. (Second game). Brooklyn, 6; Boston, 1.			
Standing.			
New York.....	99	51	609
Philadelphia.....	88	61	501
Chicago.....	78	69	570
Pittsburgh.....	69	83	451
Boston.....	63	82	451
Brooklyn.....	64	83	455
St. Louis.....	58	92	423
AMERICAN.			
Yesterday's Results.			
At Philadelphia—New York, 10; Philadelphia, 12. (Second game). New York, 7; Philadelphia, 1.			
At Washington—Boston, 2; Washington, 8. (Second game). Boston, 3; Washington, 11.			
Chicago-Detroit postponed, rain.			
St. Louis-Cleveland, wet grounds.			
Standing.			
Philadelphia.....	86	56	432
Washington.....	74	64	425
Cleveland.....	84	64	560
Boston.....	79	70	530
Chicago.....	76	82	514
Detroit.....	74	85	480
New York.....	73	94	585
St. Louis.....	65	94	389

PACIFIC COAST.			
Yesterday's Results.			
At Los Angeles—Venice, 6; Los Angeles, 2.			
At San Francisco—Sacramento, 3; San Francisco, 2.			
At Portland—Portland, 7; Oakland, 1.			
Standing.			
Portland.....	58	74	673
Sacramento.....	91	85	517
Venice.....	84	89	516
Los Angeles.....	87	96	472
Oakland.....	80	97	465

TRACERY IN DEMAND. New York, Oct. 4.—August Belmont, chairman of the Jockey Club, it became known yesterday, has refused an offer of \$200,000 for Tracery, the four-year-old son of Rock Sand-Toplary, which has been racing with much success for two seasons in England.

HUNTERS. Hunters should stop at the Kokslah Hotel, the sportsman's home. No reserve's permit required in this district. Prop. W. C. Fernyough.



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This afternoon soccer officially opened in the capital. On many different fields, the devotees of the pigskin turned out in large numbers to watch the play of their favorites and perfect weather greeted the clubs. President Leckey is delighted with the prospects, and he looks for the biggest year that soccer has ever known in the capital. The senior league has been reinforced by the addition of the Rangers and Senior Wards, while the Intermediate organization is also one that has developed its strength. The Juniors will meet to draw up a schedule next Wednesday evening.

To-day's card was as follows:

Senior.
Rangers vs. J. B. A. A., Royal Athletic Park. Referee, H. A. Goward.
Wards vs. Sons of England, North Ward Park. Referee, J. R. Allen.
Thistles vs. V. W. A. A., Beacon Hill. Referee, Mr. Halliass.
Intermediate.
Wests vs. Wards, Macauley Point. Referee, Mr. Hurren.
Empress vs. Men's Own, Beacon Hill. Referee, Mr.



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SWAIN GETS INTO GAME AT 'FRISCO

Charlie Swain, who was recalled by Sacramento by option, got into the game on Tuesday for the Wolves. He did not get a hit, but had one put out. He is batting fourth for the Sacramento club and hooked one vicious drive to right that looked good for a homer, only to have Mundorf, the 'Frisco right-fielder, make a jumping catch of the sphere.
Rex Dawson, the Chiemarus youth, who used to twirl against the Beacon Hill club last summer, was used by the Washington club yesterday against Boston. Dawson went to the Minnesota club from Vancouver, and Cliff Blankenship sold him to Clark Griffith. Dawson's rise to the majors has been on a par with that of Wayne Barham. The Chiemarus youth is said to possess the most natural spit-ball ever seen in the minors.

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

It is only a couple of months until the hockey season opens.
Harry Meek's All-Stars look to have the number of the Beavers, champions and all as they are.
Frenchie Valse knows his business when he refuses to give Joe Bayley another contest, that is in holding the championship.
They have the nerve in the East to ask that the Minto Cup be returned simply because the Royals are not in any league.

It is tipped off that the Wards will make a strong bid for the intermediate title, as well as senior honors.
Those Australian cricketers may not have been successful in making their fortune while in Victoria, but they surely showed us how to play cricket.

With all this talk of Neway Lalonde remaining in the East, it looks a case of a desire for notoriety on the part of the Cornwall athletic star.

Ty Cobb calls the Athletics to win the world's title, while Joe Jackson favors the Giants. Perhaps it's just a little jealousy between the pair that will not allow them to agree upon the Mackmen.

DE ORO BEATEN.

New York, Oct. 4.—Denny Allen, of Kansas City, won the world's pocket billiard championship by defeating Alfred de Oro, the title-holder for several years, by a total score in the three nights' play of 600 to 516.

BALL CLUB SOLD.

Indianapolis, Oct. 4.—The Indianapolis American Association Baseball Club has been sold by Sol. Myer, owner, to James C. McGinn, George Wahlgren and Jack Hendricks, of Denver. The purchase price is said to be \$105,000.

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UNIVERSITY HOCKEY TEAM SCORE WIN

A most enjoyable match was played on the University School grounds yesterday afternoon between the Victoria High School hockey eleven and the University School third team. The game was fast throughout and although the High School players had not had much practice, they played good hockey, while the somewhat smaller university boys also played well. At half-time the score was 1-0 in favor of the High School, and although the University boys made several dangerous rushes they could not score and the High School added another goal, winning by 2 goals to 0. Corsan kept goal finely for the University, while McVittie and Spalding worked hard, while McKennie at back played well. The High School for-

wards were easily the best of their side. Mr. Collinson, of the University School, refereed. The return match will be played at Oak Bay on Friday.

CLABBY VICTOR.

San Francisco, Oct. 4.—Jimmy Clabby, middleweight, of Hammond, Ind., won a decision over "Sailor" Ed Fetrosky, of this city, in their twenty-round fight here yesterday.

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DAILY RACING NEWS FORM CHART

(Compiled by P. Clark. Published by Daily Racing News Form Chart Publishing Co., 51-55 First Street, San Francisco, Cal.)
 VICTORIA, B. C., Friday, October 3, 1913. 12th day. Weather clear. Track fast. S. J. McGibbon, Presiding Judge.

3605 FIRST RACE—Fraser course (about five furlongs). Purses. Maiden. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner \$210, second \$90, third \$30.

Index	Horse and Owner	Wt.	St.	1	2	3	Str.	Fin.	Jockey
3590	Galety Girl, 3 (R.Ringrose)	112	1	2	1	2	1	1	Cavanaugh
3592	Nina Muchacho, 4 (ADWorley)	117	7	2	1	2	1	1	Hill
3593	Norford Rose, 3 (A.Wood)	107	7	2	1	2	1	1	Hill
3594	Mono Lake, 4 (Fraser Valley)	108	2	1	2	1	2	1	McMartin
3595	Amanto, 5 (D.Hill)	119	4	1	2	1	2	1	F. Kelly
3596	Garvanzo, 3 (Trotter)	118	5	1	2	1	2	1	Pickens
3597	Desorption, 4 (W.Hill)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	C. Jones
3598	Rockhill, 4 (M.Hayes)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	Hart

At post 1 minute. Off at 2.51. Time—24.5, 50.5, 1.00.
 3592 Nina Muchacho, straight \$22.40, place \$6.40, show \$2.00. Winner b f by Marcoville-Buck Crystal. Trained by R. Ringrose.
 Standing start good. Won first three driving.
 Overweight—Galety Girl 5, Amanto 1, Garvanzo 4.

3606 SECOND RACE—Fraser course (about five furlongs). Purses. Four-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner \$210, second \$90, third \$30.

Index	Horse and Owner	Wt.	St.	1	2	3	Str.	Fin.	Jockey
3597	Mammy, 4 (Moosehead)	109	2	1	2	1	2	1	O'Brien
3598	Sicus, 4 (J.Hill)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	Claver
3599	Queen Ruth, 4 (W.Tennant)	114	5	1	2	1	2	1	Pauley
3600	Emerald Isle, 5 (T.Davies)	109	7	1	2	1	2	1	Pickens
3601	Calla, 4 (San Francisco)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	Anderson
3602	Lookout, 4 (James Bond)	114	5	1	2	1	2	1	Wickline
3603	Lehigh, 4 (W.McKinney)	114	5	1	2	1	2	1	Cavanaugh
3604	Sapadra, 6 (C.Ried)	106	6	1	2	1	2	1	Hill

At post 1 minute. Off at 2.54. Time—24.5, 50.5, 1.00.
 3597 Mammy, straight \$22.40, place \$6.40, show \$2.00. Winner b f by Sempronius-Manola Magon. Trained by A. Castin.
 Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.

3607 THIRD RACE—Fraser course (about five furlongs). Selling. All ages. Net value to winner \$210, second \$90, third \$30.

Index	Horse and Owner	Wt.	St.	1	2	3	Str.	Fin.	Jockey
3597	Rimfax, 2 (J.C.Perrin)	101	6	1	2	1	2	1	Hill
3598	Jerky, 4 (J.M.Burrows)	119	2	1	2	1	2	1	O'Brien
3599	Wastella, 4 (Kenosha)	115	5	1	2	1	2	1	Hill
3600	Combury, 4 (M.O'Neil)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	C. Jones
3601	Helen Hawkins, 5 (E.D.K.A.M.)	119	3	1	2	1	2	1	Cavanaugh
3602	Florence 8, 4 (E.McAvoy)	119	3	1	2	1	2	1	Riddle
3603	Albion, 4 (M.O'Neil)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	McMartin
3604	Miss Clark, 2 (J.Wilson)	114	5	1	2	1	2	1	C. Jones

At post 1 minute. Off at 2.52. Time—24.5, 50.5, 1.00.
 3597 Rimfax, straight \$22.40, place \$6.40, show \$2.00. Winner b f by Sempronius-Manola Magon. Trained by A. Castin.
 Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.

3608 FOURTH RACE—Fraser course (about five furlongs). Selling. Three-year-olds. Net value to winner \$210, second \$90, third \$30.

Index	Horse and Owner	Wt.	St.	1	2	3	Str.	Fin.	Jockey
3600	Daylight, 3 (Eckert)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	Pickens
3601	Mercurium, 3 (Carlin Moody)	115	5	1	2	1	2	1	Riddle
3602	Retente, 3 (Gibson)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	O'Brien
3603	Katty Connor, 3 (Hull)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	Pauley
3604	Far Cathay, 3 (San Francisco)	107	5	1	2	1	2	1	Claver
3605	Sam Grigby, 3 (Lawrence)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	F. Kelly
3606	Hudson, 3 (J.Wilson)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	Hill

At post 1 minute. Off at 2.51. Time—24.5, 50.5, 1.00.
 3600 Daylight, straight \$22.40, place \$6.40, show \$2.00. Winner b f by Sempronius-Manola Magon. Trained by A. Castin.
 Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.

3609 FIFTH RACE—Fraser course (about five furlongs). Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner \$210, second \$90, third \$30.

Index	Horse and Owner	Wt.	St.	1	2	3	Str.	Fin.	Jockey
3600	Ben Stone, 4 (H.W.Hoag)	108	7	1	2	1	2	1	Stevens
3601	Lillian Ray, 4 (J.B.Clark)	111	2	1	2	1	2	1	C. Jones
3602	Tom Murphy, 4 (H.W.Hoag)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	O'Brien
3603	Kitty Bum, 6 (Denny & Gwyn)	111	1	1	2	1	2	1	Hill
3604	Biondy, 4 (E.Lewis)	114	5	1	2	1	2	1	Riddle
3605	Zinkand, 4 (J.Nell)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	Cavanaugh
3606	Zwick, 4 (A.Walker)	109	4	1	2	1	2	1	Claver

At post 1 minute. Off at 2.51. Time—24.5, 50.5, 1.00.
 3600 Ben Stone, straight \$22.40, place \$6.40, show \$2.00. Winner b f by Ben Stone-Belaga. Trained by H. W. Hoag.
 Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.

3610 SIXTH RACE—Fraser course (about five furlongs). Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner \$210, second \$90, third \$30.

Index	Horse and Owner	Wt.	St.	1	2	3	Str.	Fin.	Jockey
3600	Safranor, 3 (J.Richard)	104	1	1	2	1	2	1	Claver
3601	Ramsy, 4 (J.Hill)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	O'Brien
3602	Binoel, 4 (P.Collis)	114	4	1	2	1	2	1	Pauley
3603	Arany, 4 (W.McLeod)	117	3	1	2	1	2	1	Riddle
3604	Locust Bud, 5 (J.B.Clark)	114	4	1	2	1	2	1	C. Jones
3605	Salle O'Day, 5 (G.Wentworth)	114	4	1	2	1	2	1	C. Jones
3606	Fire, 6 (G.Melbourne)	114	6	1	2	1	2	1	Hill

At post 1 minute. Off at 2.51. Time—24.5, 50.5, 1.00.
 3600 Safranor, straight \$22.40, place \$6.40, show \$2.00. Winner b f by Nealon-Rebecca Bell. Trained by T. E. Crist.
 Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.

3611 SEVENTH RACE—Fraser course (about five furlongs). Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner \$210, second \$90, third \$30.

Index	Horse and Owner	Wt.	St.	1	2	3	Str.	Fin.	Jockey
3600	Gaty Pallen, 4 (A.Fraser)	113	1	1	2	1	2	1	Pauley
3601	Kelsetta, 4 (J.Hill)	119	2	1	2	1	2	1	Claver
3602	Chief Diamond, 4 (J.Peter)	119	2	1	2	1	2	1	Claver
3603	Shawnee, 6 (C.N.Freeman)	112	4	1	2	1	2	1	Cavanaugh
3604	Southern Gold, 6 (W.Fenwick)	115	3	1	2	1	2	1	Pickens
3605	Nebraska Lass, 4 (A.Neale)	119	3	1	2	1	2	1	Hill

At post 1 minute. Off at 2.51. Time—24.5, 50.5, 1.00.
 3600 Gaty Pallen, straight \$22.40, place \$6.40, show \$2.00. Winner b f by Nealon-Rebecca Bell. Trained by T. E. Crist.
 Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.

3612 EIGHTH RACE—Fraser course (about five furlongs). Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner \$210, second \$90, third \$30.

Index	Horse and Owner	Wt.	St.	1	2	3	Str.	Fin.	Jockey
3600	Tallow Dip, 4 (W.McKinney)	104	3	1	2	1	2	1	Claver
3601	Lambert, 4 (J.Hill)	119	2	1	2	1	2	1	Riddle
3602	Oswald B, 6 (Dennison)	109	2	1	2	1	2	1	O'Brien
3603	Elgin, 4 (P.Richard)	109	2	1	2	1	2	1	Pauley
3604	James Blackstock, 5 (C.Gardner)	104	6	1	2	1	2	1	Stevens
3605	Oslan, 4 (P.H.Brannon)	112	3	1	2	1	2	1	Cavanaugh
3606	Tom G, 3 (C.Ried)	107	3	1	2	1	2	1	Pauley
3607	High Range, 4 (J.C.Perrin)	117	3	1	2	1	2	1	Pickens

At post 2 minutes. Off at 2.51. Time—24.5, 50.5, 1.00.
 3600 Tallow Dip, straight \$22.40, place \$6.40, show \$2.00. Winner b f by Nealon-Rebecca Bell. Trained by T. E. Crist.
 Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.

WILL DRAW UP THE RUGBY SCHEDULE

Secretary A. D. B. Scott of the Victoria Rugby Union, announces that the schedule for the Bannard Cup games will be drawn up at a meeting of the committee to be held at the Bannard hotel on Wednesday evening next. Secretary Scott thinks that the coming season will be a success in every way, the addition of the Fifth Regiment fifteen having been a most welcome one. It will infuse new blood into local Rugby and add additional interest to the coming season's matches.

This season has seen the birth of two new Rugby clubs, the Montreal Scottish and the Harlequins, the former of which has for its captain Mr. William Hutchinson, who captained Scotland against the New Zealanders in 1897.

Arrangements are being made to send a representative team from Montreal to Halifax during the season to play the Wanderers. There is also a possibility of a team visiting New York City to play a series of matches.

OUTLAWS ROLLED IN LOSING FORM

Outlaws dropped two out of three to the Colonist bowlers in a City League match last night. On Monday the Sheet-Metal Workers and Ramblers will play. The scores:

Players	Colonist	2nd	3rd
Dutot	109	145	91
Bawden	105	131	109
Hawkins	142	177	147
Durham	128	116	184
Clayton	138	149	206
Totals	622	718	737
Team total	2077		

Players	Outlaws	2nd	3rd
G. L. Prochnow	139	163	124
L. S. Weston	109	163	124
C. Griffiths	142	96	111
A. Patterson	181	146	131
H. Charlton	146	121	128
Totals	717	678	632
Team total	2027		

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TESREAU STARTS FOR THE GIANTS

McGraw Has Edge on Mack in Coming Series; Athletic Lead in Batting

"Big Jeff" Tesreau is coming into his own. The former Toronto hurler was somewhat of a disappointment in the early part of the campaign, but the last month or so he has been pitching in the form that made him a fitting team-mate for Mathewson and Marquand last year, and it begins to look now as if he will be a big factor in the world's series. It was Tesreau who season upon season Manager McGraw delegated the hard task of pitching the first game of the world's series against Boston, and it would not be surprising in view of his return to winning ability, if the bulky spitballer is given that honor a week from next Tuesday.

That the pitching problem will be the chief one that Connie Mack will have to deal with in the battle for the big flag becomes more apparent every day. His youthful twirler, with the possible exception of Shawkey, the former Baltimorean, are not anyway reliable. For instance, he used Boardman, Houck, Pennock and Bush against Boston, and they were all treated alike, the ex-champions scoring ten runs on fourteen hits and seven passes. The Athletics collected thirteen safe drives, but only one tallied four runs. Outright, Barry and Shang had more than half of the lower hits.

It is pointed out that the astute leader of the Athletics was rather disappointed that the first game in the world's series did not start on Monday instead of Tuesday. He favored an earlier beginning for the reason that he did not want the series to extend in two weeks. From this it can be gathered that Mack does not entertain any hopes of winning out inside of five games and that he is of the opinion apparently that the series will go the limit. Of the twenty-nine players who figured in the series of 1911 between these two clubs four are missing from the ranks of eligibles for the present contest. Led by the Athletics is no longer under Mack's control and McGraw has released or traded Devore, Becken and Ames.

The batting and fielding averages of the players who participated in the series of 1905 and 1911, and who are still eligible for the 1913 games follow:

Philadelphia.			
	1905.	Games.	Batting.
Davis	5	150	1.000
D. Murphy	5	187	1.000
Bender	2	200	1.000
Plank	2	187	1.000
1911.			
McInnes	1	600	1.000
Collins	6	275	809
Baker	6	275	809
Barry	6	268	880
D. Murphy	6	204	889
Strunk	1	600	600
Bender	2	691	1.000
Plank	2	600	1.000
Lapp	2	250	1.000
Thomas	4	683	1.000
New York.			
	1905.	Games.	Batting.
Mathewson	3	250	1.000
1911.			
Merkle	6	143	366
Doyle	6	304	967
Hozog	6	190	875
Fletcher	6	120	818
Murray	6	600	714
Snodgrass	6	105	1.000
Marquard	3	600	1.000
Mathewson	3	286	1.000
Crandall	3	500	1.000
Meyers	6	300	1.000
Wilson	1	600	1.000

AUSTRALIA LEADS IN TENNIS STARS

An unusual amount of international play during the past season has made it possible to select the best ten lawn tennis players of the world more accurately than ever before in the history of the game.

All the important tournaments of the world have been completed, and it should be fairly easy to get a correct line on the different candidates.

At the beginning of the season the following order was very commonly accepted:

- 1.—Norman Brookes, of Australia.
- 2.—A. F. Wilding, of New Zealand, and Maurice McLoughlin, of California, U. S. A., on even terms.
- 3.—J. C. Parke, of Ireland.
- 4.—R. N. Williams, of Pennsylvania, U. S. A.
- 5.—A. H. Gobert, of France.
- 6.—O. Frotzheim, of Germany.
- 7.—M. Deculsi, of France.
- 8.—C. P. Dixon, of England.
- 9.—R. Barrett, of England.

On this season's play, a California expert picks the following as the ten leaders:

- 1.—Norman Brookes, Australia.
- 2.—A. F. Wilding, New Zealand.
- 3.—Maurice McLoughlin, California.
- 4.—J. C. Parke, Ireland.
- 5.—R. N. Williams, Pennsylvania.
- 6.—O. Frotzheim, Germany.
- 7.—M. Deculsi, France.
- 8.—W. H. Clothier, Philadelphia.
- 9.—William Johnston, California.
- 10.—A. H. Gobert, France.

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First race, four and one-half furlongs, purses, maidens two-year-olds:	
Myra Helmer	107
Alto Loma Maid	112
Conchifero	110
Ruth Powers	112
Lady Bryan	112
Russand	112
Jessie Simpson	112
Second race, five furlongs, F. C., three-year-olds and upward:	
Garvanzo	107
Amanto	112
Norford Rose	107
Casus	112
Miss Chemist	107
Chickaluma	107
Nina Muchacho	112
Rock Hill	112
Third race, five furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and upward:	
Danfield	112
Ernest H.	109
Queen Poppy	104
Arany	117
Azure	114
Dr. Noufer	114
Darlington	122
Dahlberg	110
Sam Grigby	109
Fourth race, five furlongs, F. C., selling, three-year-olds and upward:	
Lady Pender	114
Calcutra	114
Binoel	114
Little Jake	114
Mark Kennedy	114
Hal Worth	112
King Radford	114
Wastella	110
Buck Thomas	114
Fifth race, six furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and upward:	
Oblivion	114
Pontefract	114
Tom Chapman	109
Cisko	114
Downland	109
Hazel C.	109
Hanna	114
Belle of Iroquois	114
Masala	114
Zulu	114
Sixth race, six furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and upward:	
Erie	110
Osman	112
Hugh Gray	112
Spryng Life	112
Salud	112
O'Konite	117
Zwick	119
Lehigh	114
Sadie Shapiro	119
Semario	112</

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RUSSIAN BLOUSES TO BE WORN KNEE LENGTH

Will Resemble Norfolk; Tunics Still Popular; Picturesque Poses and Gliding Gaits

New York, Sept. 27.—New York is now fairly launched upon another season. The shops show fascinating garments, and everywhere one encounters women wearing stunning costumes embodying new and interesting features.

Russia has undoubtedly furnished the inspiration for many of the styles, although fashion no longer adheres slavishly to any one source when seeking ideas. Thus, we may also plainly trace in both fabrics and lines the influence of modern art and the bouffant modes recently introduced abroad.

The Russian blouse, which has a certain resemblance to the Norfolk, is much seen. It is usually knee length or longer, and is frequently finished with a band of fur at the lower edge, the fur being repeated at the neck in ideal, giving a dash of color to the somewhat sombre tones which prevail in dress fabrics.

Our first illustration shows a very effective suit embodying the waistcoat idea. One hears much of the vagueness of line characterizing the new suits, and it is true that the strictly mannish type of garment is becoming constantly less conspicuous in the feminine wardrobe. A suit of good conservative cut, such as the one we show, is, however, an absolute necessity for every woman. It represents, in addition to the waistcoat, two other interesting style features—the combination of contrasting fabrics and the cutaway idea, which continues strong for fall and winter.

The coat is of tan cloth, with brown velvet collar and cuffs, the waistcoat, of copper-colored broadcloth, sounding an extremely fetching note. The graceful, undraped skirt is of tan and brown, which has supplanted checks in the affections of the woman of fashion. Very simple in line, yet giving a somewhat drowsy effect because of the variety of materials employed, this suit represents a wise selection for the woman with a limited income, as it can be made to answer for many occasions.

A very earnest effort is being made by certain exclusive dressmakers to transport across the seas the bouffant styles to which the Parisienne is taking so kindly. This proves no easy matter, as the American woman is faithfully wedded to the semi-classic forms of dress which have prevailed during the past several years—so preeminently well adapted to her physical type.

However, we see in the establishment of the ultra-fashionable—mediaeval gowns with wide tunics, boned panniers, and the drawn-back draperies which suggest the days of the bustle—in fact, we are told that in Paris small bustles are actually being worn by a few of the most ardent followers of fashion.

But extremes are only interesting as indicating the possible trend of fashion, and so far the average, well-dressed American woman shows marked preference for simple, graceful styles.

Tunics which drape close to the figure have won her complete approval. We show in our second sketch a most attractive dress exemplifying this idea. It is made of gray chiffon velvet, the straight lines of the skirt displaying the beautiful fabric to excellent advantage. The blouse has the kimono shoulder, and sleeve relieved by a touch of lace in the cuff. All-over shadow lace comprises the vest, which is finished with an upstanding frill of the lace. The bodice is exceedingly graceful, giving the raised front line, which is so effective. An emerald green satin girle encircles the waist, and is drawn into a chic knot at the side-front.

In noting the new fashions one cannot refrain from commenting upon the picturesque poses and gliding gait affected by the modish woman. This, no doubt, had its origin in the element of quaintness which has for several seasons entered into fashions. While one must vigorously condemn it on hygienic grounds as conducive to round shoulders and cramped lungs, this languishing pose is not without grace. It is a part of the ease in dress and carriage for which every woman now strives.

The idea of ease is most attractive when not overdone, but ease must never be allowed to deteriorate into untidiness, especially if a woman is inclined to avoid it. Therefore, a word about the new corsets. If you are very slender, you may safely adopt a stay of tricot or unboned bustle; but if you are even a trifle over the average weight, insist upon a corset of firm material, lightly and supplely boned in its entire circumference. This is the only correct foundation for the draped gowns and suits which will make up your winter wardrobe.

For the smart little waistcoat, with which few of the new tailored suits are complete, these bright broadcloths

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

(All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.)

J. Cameron, of Ottawa, is at the James Bay hotel.

F. H. Pickles, of Jordan River, is at the Dominion hotel.

A. E. Glaser, of Edmonton, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

F. G. Cooke, of Calgary, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

J. H. Dimond, of Winnipeg, has arrived at the James Bay hotel.

B. C. Mitchell, of Cowichan Lake, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

L. S. Davis, of Montreal, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

Donald McLowe, of Port Alberni, is registered at the Empress hotel.

Jesse Longfield returned yesterday from a business trip to Alberni.

F. Young, of Ladysmith, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

R. S. MacKenzie, of Vancouver, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

G. E. R. Cotterill, of Beamsville, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

F. M. Christie is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Seattle.

Miss E. Fleming is registered at the Empress hotel from Nanaimo Bay.

F. M. Britton is here from Vancouver, a guest at the Empress hotel.

John A. Conkey is staying at the Empress hotel while here from Vancouver.

K. H. Earle is among those staying at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

Mrs. Thomas J. Roberts, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

M. M. Walker, of Sidney, is among the new arrivals at the Dominion hotel.

R. A. Beck, of Vancouver, is staying at the Westholme hotel while in the city.

P. C. Manley, of Cedar Falls, Wash., is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Middleton arrived from Nelson yesterday and went to the Westholme hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery are here from Vancouver, guests at the Empress hotel.

J. P. Grant is here from London, Eng., and is registered at the Empress hotel.

H. Nicholls is registered at the Strathcona hotel while here from Vancouver.

Mrs. H. J. Tucker is staying at the Empress hotel while here from Vancouver.

C. N. Beebe is visiting the city from Vancouver and is staying at the Empress hotel.

George N. Jordan is visiting the city from Vancouver, a guest at the Empress hotel.

C. G. McFall is here from Montreal, and is staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

T. B. Stewart and E. S. Wilband, of New Westminster, are guests at the Dominion hotel.

D. O. Gorman is visiting the city from Calgary and is staying at the Westholme hotel.

Thomas Rae came to the city yesterday from Vancouver and registered at the Empress hotel.

Walter Pickering, of Vancouver, is in the city on business and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

A. L. Phillips registered at the Empress hotel when he arrived from Vancouver yesterday.

A. S. Hood is a visitor in the city from Rivers Inlet. He is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

A. Knight and Mrs. Knight are registered at the Strathcona hotel while here from Chilliwack.

A. V. Jeffs is among those visiting Victoria from Seattle. He is registered at the Westholme hotel.

H. L. Gable, of Vancouver, came across from the mainland yesterday and registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Israel I. Rubinowitz, the well-known lawyer of Vancouver, is in the city for a few days, staying at the Empress hotel.

W. D. MacDougall, of Dundee, Scotland, and A. M. Dixon, of Stirling, are staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

W. Hallett and Mrs. Hallett are spending a short time in the city from Sooke. They are guests at the Westholme hotel.

Albert Edward Nicholson and Miss Martha M. Gibson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, of Admiral's road, Esquimalt, were united in marriage last Thursday evening. Rev. J. P. Hicks performing the ceremony at the residence of Mrs. Nicholson, Victoria West. The ceremony was witnessed by several of the relatives of the happy pair, the bride, who was beautifully gowned, being attended by Miss V. Nicholson, who acted as bridesmaid. Mr. Cecil E. Cox acted as best man. A delicious repast was served after the evening, the tables being beautifully decorated with flowers, and waited

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CREPE KIMONAS, reg. \$1.50, to-day \$1.00
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Dear Mrs. Currah—I feel so very much better after using the 10 days' treatment of ORANGE LILY you were kind enough to send, that I will not require any more. In fact, I feel entirely well, and it is now a month since I stopped using the treatment. (Miss) F. W. T. C.

Similar letters to the above are not infrequent, though, of course, such cases are not of long standing. Most women who have suffered for any length of time will require to use ORANGE LILY longer than the 10 days' trial treatment in order to effect a complete cure, but in every case they will be perceptibly benefited. Further, the benefit will be permanent whether they continue to use ORANGE LILY or not. It is not taken internally, and does not contain any alcohol or other stimulant. It is an applied treatment, and acts directly on the suffering organs. In all cases of women's disorders, these organs are congested to a greater or less extent, and congestion just as positively and completely cures. It is a simple chemical problem, and the result is always the same, a step towards better health and complete cure.

In order that every suffering woman may prove its good qualities, I will send enough of ORANGE LILY for 10 days' treatment, absolutely free, to each lady who will send me her address. MRS. FRANCES E. CURRAN, WINDSOR, ONT. 14

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upon by Mesdames Watling and Watson. Numerous handsome gifts were received by the happy pair, and they were the recipients of heartiest congratulations from a wide circle of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson will make their home in this city.

Miss Winifred Mahon, of Folkestone, England, will arrive to-day at Halliburton College, Royal Oak.

O. J. Amburg and Mrs. Amburg came to the capital yesterday from Vancouver and became guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Thomas Lockhart, of Woodstock, Ont., is a guest at the Dominion hotel during his visit to the capital city of British Columbia.

Mrs. H. Clayton and Mrs. A. M. Stone, of Johannesburg, South Africa, are here for a few days and are staying at the James Bay hotel.

F. W. Witham, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is spending the weekend in Seattle on work connected with the organization of the association.

EXTRACT FROM "BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL" March 22, 1907.

"A Most Valuable Food"

At a time when the preparation of artificial foodstuffs is receiving more attention than ever before, and when new forms of easily assimilable fat to take the place of cod liver oil are being frequently brought to the notice of the medical profession, it is desirable that some of the older forms of administering natural fats should not be lost sight of. Among natural fats, butter easily takes first place for nutritive value, and when combined with a suitable soluble carbohydrate, a most valuable food is produced.

THE BUTTER SCOTCH which Messrs. Allard & Bower (Duke's Road, Euston Road, W. C.) have prepared for fifty years, is such an article, which has the great advantage of being palatable, so palatable, in fact, that children are more likely to need restraining from excess than any persading to take it. This BUTTER SCOTCH is stated to contain 11.7 per cent. of fat and 73.3 per cent. of sugar, and the results of an analysis which we have made recently of a specimen substantially confirm these figures; further chemical examination of the fat extracted showed it to be genuine butter fat. This confection can therefore be recommended, not only as a harmless sweetmeat, but also as a very useful addition to the diet in suitable cases. In all the Principal candy stores in Victoria.

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Liver and Bowels Are Clogged; Clean Them To-night! Feel Better.

Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system, is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

Anniversary Sale of Taffeta Ribbons at HALF Price

Silk Taffeta Ribbons, from 1 to 4 inches wide, in every imaginable color, at half-price, as follows:

Regular 5c Ribbons. Sale price, per yard.....	2½¢
Regular 10c Ribbons. Sale price, per yard.....	5¢
Regular 12½c Ribbons. Sale price, per yard.....	6¼¢
Regular 25c Ribbons. Sale price, per yard.....	12½¢

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Anniversary Specials in Women's Handbags

These Handbags are a little marred or scratched, but the great reductions amply cover any slight imperfections.

Regular up to \$2.50 Bags. Anniversary sale price.....	\$1.50
Regular up to \$4.75 Bags. Anniversary sale price.....	\$2.50
Regular up to \$6.00 Bags. Anniversary sale price.....	\$3.00

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Dress Goods and Silks at Anniversary Prices

The values offered in the Dress Goods and Silk Sections during Anniversary are indeed extraordinary. Among them the following:

Navy Blue Serges, 44 ins. wide. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	35¢
44 ins. wide. Anniversary sale price, per yard, 75c and.....	65¢
Velveteens, 21 ins. wide, in light and dark navy, moss, reseda, strawberry, cardinal, saxe, electric, black, white, etc. Regular 50c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	35¢
Colored Pongee Silks, 25 ins. wide, in nine good shades. Regular 50c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	35¢
Eolines, 40 ins. wide, in a good range of shades. Regular \$1.25 values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	85¢
Plain Satins, 40 ins. wide, in colors gold, sky, tan, pink, strawberry, cerise and reseda. Anniversary sale price, per yd. 85¢	
Voiles in a good range of plain colors, 40 ins. wide. Regular 75c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	45¢
Cashmires, in all shades, 44 ins. wide, regular 65c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	50¢
46 ins. wide, regular 85c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	65¢

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An Economic Event That Will Mark An Epoch in Victoria's Merchandising

We invite you to commemorate with us an occasion which will signalize by values a new standard in Victoria merchandising. Manufacturers, with some of whom we have done business since the store started, have heartily co-operated and helped us to assemble specials the like of which you have never seen in honor of this our Second Anniversary. Do not judge the goods by the prices, for qualities are far superior to what you would expect at the low prices quoted.

Women's and Misses' Fall Suits. Regular up to \$35.00 Values for \$21.75

Twelve only women and misses can take advantage of this splendid offering for there are just that number of new Fall Suits in the lot. The Coats are cut in the latest style, showing cutaway fronts, notched collars and revers. Trimmings of buttons and fancy braid. Perfectly-tailored skirts; a few gathered at the back. Colors are brown, greys and navy blue serges. Regular up to \$35 values. Anniversary sale price.....

—First Floor

Household Staples at Anniversary Prices

Anderson's Zephyrs and Gingham, in various colored plaid designs. Regular 20c and 22½c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	15¢
Striped and Kimono Flannelettes, regular to 25c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	10¢
Towels, brown and white. Regular 35c values. Anniversary sale price, per pair.....	25¢
Towels, blue and brown. Regular 50c values. Anniversary sale price, per pair.....	35¢
Regular 65c values. Anniversary sale price, per pair.....	50¢
Pillow Cottons, 40, 42 and 44 ins. wide. Regular 20c to 25c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	15¢
Bath Mats, in various colors. Regular \$1.50 values. Anniversary sale price, each.....	\$1.20
Regular \$2.50 values. Anniversary sale price, each.....	\$2.15
Horrockses Plain Sheetting, 72 inches wide. Regular 60c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	50¢
Horrockses Twill Sheetting, 96 ins. wide. Regular 85c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	75¢
Horrockses Plain Sheetting, 72 ins. wide. Regular 30c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....	27½¢
Pillow Cases, 40, 42 and 44 ins. wide. Regular 40c values. Anniversary sale price, per pair.....	35¢
40 to 46 ins. wide. Regular 50c values. Anniversary sale price, per pair.....	40¢

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Entire Stock of Tapestry Table Covers at Unusual Reductions

You can choose from any Tapestry Table Cover in our stock and save dollars on any of them. All the wanted colors to choose from. A rare opportunity to secure a good Table Cover at a small price.

Reg. \$1.95 to \$3.50 Tapestry Covers, Each \$1.50

You can choose from red, red, green and gold mixtures at this small price full size fringed Tapestry Covers. Anniversary sale price \$1.50.

Reg. \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.50 Tapestry Covers, Each, \$3.75

Good quality Tapestry Table Covers with heavy wool knotted fringe in handsome floral and conventional patterns; also plain Centres with rich borders in shades of red and green, green and gold, blue and gold and red and gold. Anniversary sale price \$3.75.

—Second Floor

Bungalow Curtain Nets and Scotch Madras Muslins yd. 29c

At this price you can choose from hundreds of different styles. Values from 35c to 75c per yard, and get any length you require. All the new and popular styles are here. All fresh, new goods. If you want curtains you can save money here; even at our regular prices you can save. Come Monday and let us show you these. Regular 35c, 39c, 50c to 75c values. Anniversary sale price, per yard.....

—Second Floor

Extraordinary Anniversary Sale of Women's Shoes

Patent Leather Button Boots, with kid or cloth tops, welted soles, with plain or self tips, patent leather, gum-metal, box calf, vici and dongola kid lace boots, welted and double soles, Cuban, low and medium heels. Regular values from \$4.25 to \$5.00. Anniversary sale price.....

Box Calf Laced Boots, with heavy soles, Cuban and low heels, dongola laced boots with patent tip and low heels, velvet calf and vici kid Bluchers with self and patent tips, medium heels. Regular \$3.50 to \$4.00 values. Anniversary sale price.....

Dongola Blucher Boots, with patent tips and heavy soles, vici kid laced boots with self tips, vici Oxfords with hand-turned soles and low heels. Regular values from \$2.50 to \$3.00. Anniversary sale price.....

Box Calf Button Boots in black or tan with high legs, welted sole and laced top, for stout women. Regular \$5.50 values. Anniversary sale price.....

Black Kid Button Boots with cushion insoles and low heels. Regular \$4.50 values. Anniversary sale price, only.....

High Leg Tan Button Boots, with welted soles and Cuban heels. Regular \$6.00 values. Anniversary sale price, only.....

—Basement

Women's and Misses' Fall Coats at Anniversary Prices

They are Coats that carry an unmistakable air of distinction; perfectly-tailored in every respect; made of the most fashionable materials of two-toned diagonal striped boucle, blanket cloth, chinchillas, tweeds, caraculs, etc., with straight and long cutaway fronts, duplex collars, gauntlet cuffs and patch pockets. Some trimmed velvet and showing belted backs, others plain. The color range includes blue, black, greys, browns and various mixtures. Especially priced for the Anniversary sale at

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Anniversary Specials in Waists and Underskirts

Tailored Waists at \$1.00
Women's White Cambric, Linenette and Pique Tailored Shirt Waists, in plain styles, or in pin striped and spot designs, with French collars and cuffs and watch pocket, fastened down the front with glass or pearl buttons. Anniversary sale price.....

Tailored Waists at \$1.25
Smart Pique and Figured Cambric Shirt Waists, with French collars and cuffs, fastened down front with pearl or colored glass buttons. Anniversary sale price, only.....

Satin Underskirts, \$1.50
Women's Satin Underskirts in colors black, emerald, cinnamon, brown, cerise and navy with accordion-plaited flounce. Anniversary sale price.....

Satin Underskirts, \$2.65
An exceptionally smart line of Satin Underskirts, with double accordion-plaited frills or with wide tucked flounce, in colors black, emerald, purple, cinnamon brown, cerise and navy. Anniversary sale price, only.....

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Battenburg Linens Selling Monday at ONE-HALF the Regular Price

Included are Doylies, Centres, round or square, Runners and Scarves in a large variety of pretty openwork designs. A full range of sizes. Regular 25c to \$5.50 values. On sale Monday at.....

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Anniversary Specials in Wanted Table Linens

Double Damask Table Covers, regular \$2.75 values. Anniversary sale price.....

Regular \$3.50 values. Anniversary sale price.....

Regular \$4.00 values. Anniversary sale price.....

Regular \$4.50 values. Anniversary sale price.....

Regular \$5.50 values. Anniversary sale price.....

Table Napkins, regular \$2.25 values. Anniversary sale price.....

—Main Floor

Women's Gloves, Regular 85c to \$1.25 Values... 75c

Broken Lines of Women's Kid, Chamols and Cape Gloves. Regular 85c to \$1.25 values. Anniversary sale price, per pair.....

Children's Colored Cashmere Gloves. Regular 25c values. Anniversary sale price, per pair, only.....

—Main Floor

Women's and Children's Hose at Anniversary Prices

Morley's English Cashmere Hose, extra long with seamless feet; black only. Regular 60c values. Anniversary sale price, per pair, only.....

Silk Hose, in colors sky, pink, grey, maize, saxe, emerald, tan, cream and black. Regular \$1 values. Anniversary sale price, per pair.....

Children's Hose of good strong quality, with double knees, in sizes 6 to 8½. Anniversary sale price, per pair.....

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Heavy Fringed Tapestry Curtains \$4.85

Reg. \$5.00, \$5.50, \$5.75 to \$9.00 Values
At this special price a choice of heavy Repp Tapestry trimmed. Heavy green broche fringed tapestry in green, red and brown shades. All full-length curtains. Anniversary sale price \$4.85.

—Second Floor

Fringed Arch Curtains Reg. \$3.75 and \$4.50 Values \$2.95

Tapestry Arch Curtains in shades of red and 2-tone green, fringed at both ends. Anniversary sale price, per pair, \$2.95.

—Second Floor

Body Carpets at Enormous Reductions

Great reductions on English Axminster, Wilton, Brussels and Tapestry Body Carpets with borders and stairs to match. Thousands of yards are included in these special prices. Look up your sizes and investigate these values Monday and get first choice.

Axminster Carpets, reg. \$2.25 values, sale price.....

Wilton Carpets, reg. \$2.35 and \$2.50 values, sale price.....

Brussels Carpets, reg. \$1.50 and \$1.65 values, sale price.....

Tapestry Carpets, reg. \$1.15 and \$1.25 values, sale price.....

—Second Floor

Anniversary Prices in Women's Underwear

Women's Knitted Wool and Cotton Combinations, long sleeves and ankle length. Regular \$1.50 values. Anniversary sale price, per garment.....

Women's Wool and Cotton Knitted Vests, with long sleeves; also drawers. Regular to 65c values. Anniversary sale price, per garment.....

Cream and Natural Wool and Cotton Vests and Drawers. Regular to 90c values. Anniversary sale price, per garment.....

Heavy-Weight Knitted Cotton Combinations, fleece-lined, long sleeves and ankle length. Regular \$1.00 values. Anniversary sale price.....

Swiss Knitted Silk and Wool Vests and Drawers. Regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 values. Anniversary sale price, per garment.....

Pure Wool Swiss Knitted Vests and Drawers. Regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 values. Anniversary sale price, per garment.....

Pure Silk Knitted Vests and Drawers. Regular \$5.00 values. Anniversary sale price, per garment.....

Children's Vests, Drawers and Odd Lines Combinations at.....

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CIVIC NOTICE.

Re Municipal Election, 1914.

The attention of persons desiring to qualify as "HOUSEHOLDERS," or "HOLDERS OF TRADE LICENSES," to vote at the Municipal Election to be held on the 2nd Thursday of January, 1914, is drawn to Section 5 of the "Municipal Elections Act," which provides that, in the case of the holder of a Trade License, or the case of a Householder, he, or she, shall during the month of October in each year, make and cause to be delivered to the Clerk of the Municipality, a Statutory Declaration and subscribe before a Justice of the Peace, or Notary Public, or Municipal Clerk, in form, and to the effect of Form 1 in the schedule of the said Act in the case of the holder of a trade license, and of Form 2 in the schedule in the case of a householder.

"HOUSEHOLDERS" shall extend to and include any person of the full age of 21 years who occupies a dwelling, tenement, hotel or boarding house, who has been a resident in the Municipality from the first day of January of the current year, and who shall, unless exempted by the provisions of the proviso at the end of sub-section 5 of Section 53 of the Municipal Act (which exempts certified efficient militiamen and persons over the age of 60 years from paying road tax) have paid directly to the Municipality all rates, taxes or assessments, which are not chargeable on land, which rates, taxes or assessments so paid shall amount to not less than two dollars, due to the municipality for the current year, other than water rates or taxes, or license fees for dogs.

Section 9 of said Act further provides that "no declaration shall be accepted by the Clerk of the Municipality until it is made within 48 hours after it is made."

Section 5 further provides that "no person who is not a British subject shall have his name placed upon any Municipal list of voters, nor shall such persons be allowed to vote at any municipal election in this Province."

Form of declaration may be obtained and the necessary declarations made at the office of the City Assessor, second floor, City Hall, Douglas Street.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 30, 1913.

TENDERS FOR FIBRE CONDUIT.

Sealed tenders will be received up to 4 p. m. on Monday, October 6th, 1913, for 10,000 feet of 1-inch Fibre Conduit. Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed, and marked on outside of envelope "Tenders for Fibre Conduit." A deposit in cash or a marked cheque made payable to the City Corporation, in the sum of \$250, the amount of the tender, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT, Purchasing Agent.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 24th, 1913.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

To Charles L. Costello Assessed Owner of Lot 4 of Sections 22 and 23, Map 240, Victoria District.

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made to register Charles Newcomb as the owner in fee simple of the above lot under a Tax Sale Deed from the Assessor of the District of Victoria, dated the 14th day of January, 1909, and you are required to contest the claim of the Tax Purchaser (if you think fit) and do so within 30 days from the first publication hereof.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, this 25th day of September, 1913.

S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar General.

BAND PLAYS TO-MORROW

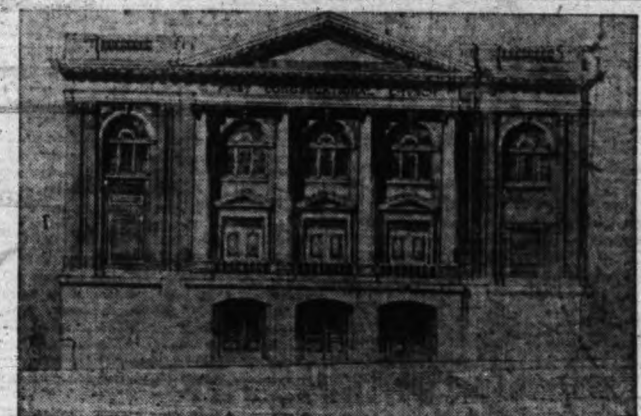
Musicians of Fifth Regiment Will Provide Interesting Programme at Beacon Hill Park in Afternoon.

In Beacon Hill park to-morrow afternoon the band of the Fifth Regiment is to play the following programme, beginning at 2 o'clock:

March... Distant Greeting... Evening Overture... Bonfire... Grand Selection... The Lion... The Beggar Student... Humoresque... Dovark Selection... Excerpts From the Mikado... Spirit of Peace... Goldman

Water By-law Passed.—Hurrah for pure water. Meantime, our genuine imported Plaster is the purest of pure, 40¢ per glass at The Kaiser.

WHERE WORKERS MEET



First Congregational Church, which next week will be the scene of the twelfth annual convention of the Victoria District Sunday School Association.

MANY WILL DISCUSS THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Interesting Programme for Twelfth Annual Convention of S. S. Association

With a programme more comprehensive than that offered at any of the eleven annual events preceding it, the annual convention of the Victoria District Sunday School Association will open on Wednesday afternoon next at the Sunday School Rooms of the First Congregational Church.

"We anticipate a daily attendance of about 600, and this will be a new record for the organization at an annual convention," said Dr. W. Russell, president, this morning. "The district includes the city and the contiguous municipalities, Sidney, Gordon Head and Duncan, so that the teachers and superintendents who will be present will be very representative of this part of the province. Much benefit is expected to result from this year's gathering as the programme has been very carefully prepared and embraces a wide variety of subjects of interest to the Sunday school worker. The discussions should bring forth many helpful suggestions, which, based on actual experience, ought to be found of distinct advantage to those whose duty it is to instruct the young in things religious."

The programme, opening at 2 p. m. on Wednesday and ending with the evening session on Thursday, has been broken into eight departments, as follows:—Work, material, methods, motives, opinions, objects, organized classes and enlarged vision. The complete programme is:

Wednesday Afternoon.

2 p. m.—Executive's hour (our work). (1) Opening: Song, prayer, welcome, Pastor Carson. (2) Organizing: Responses, committees, President Dr. Russell. (3) Reporting: Departments, statistics. (4) Confering: Discussions, suggestions.

4 p. m.—Children's hour (our material). (1) Mass meeting of the Sunday school children of Victoria, seated by schools. (2) Devotional: hymns, Scripture, Lord's Prayer in concert. (3) Address: "Boys and Girls I Have Seen," Gen. Sec. of B. C. Rev. I. W. Williamson. (4) Report of attendance: percentage of each school.

5 p. m.—Music, "Mispah."

Wednesday Evening.

8 p. m.—Practical hour (our methods). Singing and devotion. (1) Address: "Redeeming and Improving the Teachers' Time," Supt. Penman. (2) Address: "Improved Methods in Sunday School Work," Aid. A. B. McNeill. (3) Discussion on above and general methods. 9 p. m.—Music, collection.

9 p. m.—Inspirational hour (our motives). Address: "Motives in Sunday School Work," Rev. J. G. Inkster.

10 p. m.—Music, benediction.

Thursday Afternoon.

2 p. m.—Workers' hour (our opinions). (1) Opening exercises, devotional. (2) Unfinished business, committees, resolutions. (3) Round table conference, led by Gen. Sec. Williamson. 4 p. m., singing.

4 p. m.—Teachers' hour (our objects). (1) Address: "Intensive," W. J. Short. (2) Address: "Extensive," Supt. Davies. (3) Discussion, 5 p. m., adjournment.

5 p. m.—Adults' hour (our organized classes). (1) Praise service. (2) Address: "The Bible and Social Problems," Rev. Dr. Scott. (3) Music, collection.

8 p. m.—World's S. S. hour (our enlarged vision). (1) Address: Report of world's convention, Zurich, Switzerland, Gen. Sec. Williamson. 10 p. m.—Resolutions.

One of the principal speakers during the convention will be Rev. I. W. Williamson, of Vancouver, who is general secretary of the British Columbia Sunday School Association. As his experience in work with the young has been wide, his address on Wednesday afternoon on "Boys and Girls I Have Seen" is expected to be interesting to a degree. He will again take a prominent part in the proceedings when he leads the round table conference on Thursday afternoon, but the chief offering he will make to the conference will be his report of the recent world Sunday school convention at Zurich, Switzerland. Mr. Williamson attended the great gathering and will bring to the teachers and superintendents a first hand account of the proceedings at the greatest Sunday school meeting in the world.

The officers of the association are: President, Dr. W. Russell; vice-president, J. E. Andrews; secretary, J. W. H. King; corresponding secretary, E. Harwood; treasurer, Aid. W. A. Gleason.



I. O. O. F.

Meetings Next Week.

Monday—Victoria Lodge No. 1. General relief committee.

Tuesday—Vancouver Encampment No. 1.

Wednesday—Columbia Lodge No. 2.

Thursday—Dominion Lodge No. 4.

Friday—Canton Victoria No. 2.

General Relief Committee.

The regular meeting of this committee will be held on Monday evening next at 7.30 o'clock.

Victoria Lodge No. 1.

There was a large attendance at the social dance held by this lodge last Monday evening, and all enjoyed themselves. Dresser's orchestra furnished splendid music for the occasion. Degree work will be exemplified at the meeting next Monday evening, and some important business will come up for discussion.

Vancouver Encampment No. 1.

The regular meeting of the camp will be held on Tuesday evening next.

Columbia Lodge No. 2.

There was a splendid attendance at this lodge last Wednesday evening. The important proposition from the board of union was discussed and satisfactory steps taken. The initiatory degree will be exemplified next Wednesday evening.

Canton Victoria No. 2.

The regular meeting of the canton will be held on Friday evening next, when several matters of importance will come up for discussion.

Has Returned Home.

Bro. P. A. Macleod, P. G. of Victoria Lodge No. 1, has returned from the eastern provinces, where he has been during the past three months.

On a Holiday.

Bro. D. Dewar, P. G. secretary of Columbia Lodge No. 2, left for Seattle and other sound cities on Thursday last. Bro. Dewar will be away for a week or ten days.

CURED OF DRINK

BY SIMPLE REMEDY

A Devoted Wife Helps Her Husband to a Cure Through Samaria Prescription.

Mr. S. of Trenton, was in despair. A loving father and a careful provider when sober, he had gradually fallen into drinking habits, which were ruining his home, health and happiness. Drink had inflamed his stomach and nerves and created that unnatural craving that kills conscience, love, honor and breaks all family ties. But read her letter:

"I feel it my duty to say a few words about your Tablets. As you are aware, I sent and got a bottle thinking I would try them in secret. My husband had only taken them a week when he told me he was going to Port Arthur for the summer, so I had to tell him all about the tablets. He said he would take them just the same, so I sent and got the second bottle for fear one would not be enough. He writes me saying that he has taken the contents of both bottles, and he feels splendid; does not care for drink; in fact he has not taken any liquor from the first of my giving it to him. I feel I cannot say too much in favor of your wonderful remedy."

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The astronomer royal of Scotland, Professor Sampson, has recently worked out a totally new idea for the construction of large reflecting telescopes. Hitherto it has been possible in these instruments to obtain clear images only over a small area near the axis. If Professor Sampson's scheme works out in practice, as it should, this small area of good images will be greatly enlarged.

THE BLESSING OF MOTHERHOOD

Healthy Mothers and Children Make Happy Homes

Motherhood is woman's highest sphere in life. It is the fruition of her dearest hopes and greatest desires; yet thousands of noble women through some derangement have been denied this blessing. In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong. This is evidenced by the following letters which are genuine and truthful:

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Brooklyn, N.Y.—"I was ailing all the time and did not know what the matter was. I wanted a baby but my health would not permit it. I was nervous, my side ached and I was all run down. I heard that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was good and took the medicine. I have now a beautiful baby and your Compound has helped me in every way."—Mrs. J. J. STEWART, 299 Humboldt St., Brooklyn, N.Y.

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MEETINGS

Sussex Association.—The usual monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 7, at 8.30 p. m. at 2025 Blanchard street.

Motorists to Meet.—The Victoria Automobile Association is to meet Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the secretary's office, Pemberton building.

Nurses to Hear Lecture.—At the monthly meeting of the Victoria Nurses Club on Monday afternoon at the Alexandra Club a lecture will be given.

Theatrical Employees.—The regular general meeting of Local Union No. 159, theatrical stage employees, will be held to-morrow evening in room No. 1, Labor hall, at 8 o'clock.

Women's Canadian Club.—The annual meeting of the Women's Canadian Club will be held October 15 at 3 p. m., when officers will be elected. This was decided at a special meeting yesterday of the nominating committee.

West End W. C. T. U.—The West End W. C. T. U. will hold a social meeting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Gidley, 519 Craigflower road, on the afternoon of next Tuesday, at 2.30. An address will be given on "The Building of the New Men's Mission."

Union Missionary Meeting.—A union missionary meeting, at which all mission circles are expected to attend, will be held in the Emmanuel Baptist church next Tuesday at 3 p. m. Mrs. A. McLeod, a returned missionary, will give an address.

Natural History Meeting.—At the meeting of the Natural History Society on Monday evening, October 6, Mr. Schofield will give an address on "New Caledonia, with some illustrations."

Christadelphians.—A series of Sunday evening lectures will be given under the auspices of the Christadelphians in hall 2, A. O. U. W. building, Yates street. G. A. Birkenhead, late of Cardiff, Wales, will speak on Sunday, Subject, "Signs of the approaching end of this age and the return of Christ." Seats free. No collection. Lectures at 7.30.

Donation Party.—St. John's branch of the Women's Auxiliary to Missions will hold its annual donation party tea and sale of work Tuesday afternoon and evening in the guild room, Mason street, for which donations of materials for mission work or money will be thankfully received. The branch has received a special appeal for bedding required by the hospitals. The Junior branch superintended by Miss E. Woods will also take part. In the evening a trip through the Panama canal by post card, interspersed with singing, will be held.

NOTABLE WEEK FOR B. C.

Hundred Miles of Railway Now in Operation, Says Well Known Contractor; Trains Running.

That this week is a notable one for British Columbia is the opinion of a prominent contractor who has just received a telegram announcing the beginning of service on the new 100-mile section of the Grand Trunk Pacific track crossing the northern part of the province.

"Trains ran yesterday for the first time into the great mid-section of Northern British Columbia," he said, "giving the coast just what it needs for its development. Nothing else could be of such tremendous importance to that section."

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88TH FUSILIERS.

Headquarters, Victoria, B. C.

October 3, 1913.

Regimental orders by Captain H. J. Rous Cullin, commanding.

Lieut. H. B. Boggs will be orderly officer for the week ending Saturday, October 11.

Sergeant Newberry will be battalion orderly sergeant for the week ending Saturday, October 11.

The battalion will parade under the commanding officer in quarter-column at the drill hall on Tuesday, October 7 at 8 p. m.

The O. C. will take over the parade at 8.15 p. m. Company parade states to be held to the adjutant at 8.10.

Dress—Drill order (Khaki). Swords will be carried.

The O. C. has been pleased to approve the following promotion:

To be corporal—D. Co. No. 173, Pte. James Smith.

The undermentioned men are suspended from all further duty as not likely to make efficient soldiers, and are dismissed the regiment: No. 6, Pte. F. Jones; No. 7, acting Sergt. S. J. Beckton; No. 8, Pte. J. D. Grayson; No. 9, Pte. O. Miller; No. 65, acting Sergt. Hoskyn; No. 67, Sergt. Moore; No. 119, Pte. G. S. Day; No. 122, Pte. F. Haydon; No. 125, Pte. A. W. D. G. Mann; No. 232, Pte. A. C. Pover; and in respect to them, it is understood that the decision on the question will be reached. It is the intention of the special committee not to allow the situation to drift as it did before the present by-law was approved in 1912.

No. 395, Pte. E. Keeling; No. 397, Pte. F. Jones; No. 398, Pte. M. Dunford; No. 399, Pte. H. Broadbent; No. 400, Pte. S. Brown; No. 403, Pte. L. H. Patten; No. 404, Pte. J. Hillierby; No. 405, Pte. J. Riley; No. 408, Pte. W. Collins; No. 411, Sergt. W. Adye; No. 412, Pte. S. Cooling.

No. 341, acting Sergeant L. V. Guttenberg, reverts to the ranks at his own request.

There will be a meeting of the officers' mess at 8.45 p. m. on Monday next, 6th inst.

There will be a meeting of the sergeants' mess at the conclusion of the commanding officers' parade on Tuesday. All members of the sergeants' mess will attend.

The undermentioned will return uniform and equipment at the drill hall at 8 p. m. on Tuesday evening the 7th inst.

No. 7, acting Sergeant S. J. Beckton. P. F. Villiers, Capt. and Act. Adj.

HEAVY COUNCIL BUSINESS

Report on Salaries is Expected on Monday; Budget Scheme is Not Yet Ready.

An important session of the city council is promised for Monday evening, for in addition to numerous waterworks subjects which will require treatment now that the \$1,500,000 by-law has passed, there will be several other subjects for consideration.

The long delayed report on civic salaries is promised to reach the light of day but the special committee on the budget will not be ready for at least another week. It is not known to-day whether the statement from the committee on the British Columbia Electric railway fares will be ready for the session.

The amendments to the building by-law are the most important of the legislative measures to be considered, but as several bodies desire yet to con-

tain when the decision on the question will be reached. It is the intention of the special committee not to allow the situation to drift as it did before the present by-law was approved in 1912.

FAILED TO REPORT

Motorist Fined For Not Having Turned in Written Statement Regarding Collision With Bicycle.

For failing to turn in a report on an automobile's collision with a bicycle, which was disastrous to the latter, W. J. Mason was fined \$15 and costs in police court this morning. The defendant pleaded that he had called at the police station and was told to see the chief, whom he found to be away, therefore he had not turned in a report in writing, as the law requires.

The young woman Beatrice Penrose, who admitted taking morphine, was allowed to go, being advised to keep out of Chinatown at night. Prosecutor Harrison told Magistrate Jay that an examination by Dr. Hall had led him to the opinion that accused was a "drug fiend." She frankly told the court herself that she obtained prescriptions every week to enable her to secure the drug.

A prosecution for driving on the wrong side of the road with a motor car was set over till Tuesday for the appearance of witnesses for the prosecution.

Building Permits.—Building permits have been issued to the Methodist Extension Society for a temporary church in the Oaklands district, at the corner of Gosworth road and Burton street; to Mrs. Ada Anderson for a residence at 1250 Hillside avenue, costing \$2,150; to C. A. Steel for a residence at 1614 Pinewood avenue, costing \$3,550; to Clatsworthy for a residence at 1604 Myrtle street costing \$2,800; and to H. A. Bell for a small dwelling at 1653 Fell str. et.

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KING MANOEL AND HIS BRIDE



HOW THE GAME OF POLITICS IS PLAYED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

BY WALTER W. BAER

There are many definitions of the word "politics" and many applications of the theory expressed in such definitions. Real statesmen regard politics as the conduct of government and referring in its widest application to the judicial, executive and legislative branches of government. There must be included in this conception of the term the problems of administration, and with these many cognate subjects. There is to-day, whether from convenience or the virtue of necessity, a distinction between the executive and the administrative functions of a government. Every definition of the term politics conveys or embodies an effort to convey the conception of the individual using the term. It is obvious that there must exist a difference between the conception of the statesman and that of the average elector or citizen. The first views the theory of politics from the throne of power; the latter from the theatre of the common weal.

With respect to the people, that is to say the electors and citizens, politics pertain to the exercise of those rights and privileges by which the individuals of a state seek to control or influence the policy of its government as to public affairs. Where rights and privileges are exercised freely, without let or hindrance, we have a true democracy. Where they are obstructed, frustrated or ignored we have inept autocracy proceeding from bad to worse, as is the inevitable progress of all autocracies and czar rule.

Though it should scarcely be so, it is true that those who rule and those who are ruled observe the theory and practice of politics from the opposite poles. It is difficult for those who rule to realize that they in fact only serve, and it is often equally difficult for those who are ruled to realize the full

significance of the truism that they are, in point of fact, the real rulers. I am speaking, of course, of countries in which the inalienable rights and equality of citizenship are conceded. The reason why the people go wrong on this foundation principle of democracy is because, between the ruled and the rulers there is a third class with their own peculiar views of the definition and theory of politics. I refer to the "professional" politician, the men for whom politics is a "game" at which they play, sometimes winning, sometimes losing, but always with an eye to the main chance. It is this class who "square" statesmen and near-statesmen with the masses and it is this class who throw dust into the eyes of the electorate. "Dirty" near-statesmen are nothing more than professional politicians. It is then that politics become merely a "game," losing all the dignity and high idealism that have distinguished real statesmen and immortalized the greatest servants of the people in all ages, even when they ruled.

In British Columbia we have no democracy. In its stead we have government of the people by the autocracy, and certainly not for the people. I know whereof I speak, because I have been in almost every nook and corner of the province and have seen for myself. More than this, I have been told by those who suffer and chafe under these conditions. They have submitted the evidence, and the story is the same everywhere. That portion of the electorate that is not otherwise independent is partially fed, partially housed and partially clothed, and it must pay, as the price of this partial satisfaction of its absolute necessities, with its absolute abnegation, its subservience and the delivery of its franchise at the behest of its political masters. There is little difference, politically, between this sort of feudalism and that which obtained up to the fifteenth century, for of what value is the right to vote or exercise the franchise of a citizen when one is not free to vote according to the dictates of his political conscience or his convictions respecting the public policy to be pursued by those who rule? In British Columbia unless a man holds even his lands in fee simple he holds them only at the price of his subservience to his "lords."

I am writing about how the game of politics is played in British Columbia. The word "game" is itself an elusive word. In the many sports it stands for a contest of art, skill, physique and endurance. It has its rules, and in every species of the athletic contests its unspoken codes of ethics. There are such words as "foul" and "error" to designate the blunders or mishaps incident to the game, and each of these has its commensurate penalty. These all tend to the elimination of the mean, the fraudulent and the base in that wide variety of athletics which are the spice of sportsmen's lives to-day.

It is, however, the word "game" which has given us the word "gamble," and which has been the practice of gambling which has evoked all the later passions of men, since the possibilities of cheating have been evolved into finished arts. To the professional politician politics is a game in which his time, genius and energy are devoted to pluck and fleece his opponents, using the electors as pawns, or, if in a less dignified contest, stacking the cards double cutting and using all the known devices to win the game. With him cheating is the fine art; his fear is only of discovery. What is the moral difference between the game of politics and any other game in which one may win by fraud, manipulation, cheating and deceit I am not prepared to argue. Familiarity with the first species has bred in the public mind a sort of tolerance which is very far removed from contempt and holds ill for a province pregnant with such possibilities of development as is British Columbia.

As in every other game, the game of politics necessitates system, and the chief players must have confederates. The confederates sometimes share the spoils, sometimes they are hired and sometimes they are beholden in some manner to their principals and must do what they are told. That every

one of these conditions obtains in British Columbia in the playing of the great game of politics I have no doubt. Indeed, men in all three classes have told me as much. Not that all the ardent and enthusiastic servants of the Bowser-McBride administration belong to one or other of these classes. There are loyal supporters of the administration who are blind to the passing incidents and events which are moulding the political statuary of the province, and there are, unfortunately, others who, none too blind, approve and defend all the manipulation, machine methods, trickery, deception, broken pledges and defiance of law that is the common vogue. The army of "statemen" is a multitude; its name is Legion. It embraces almost all the public servants, for no one can long hold a government billet unless he becomes absolutely subservient to the system which has been evolved.

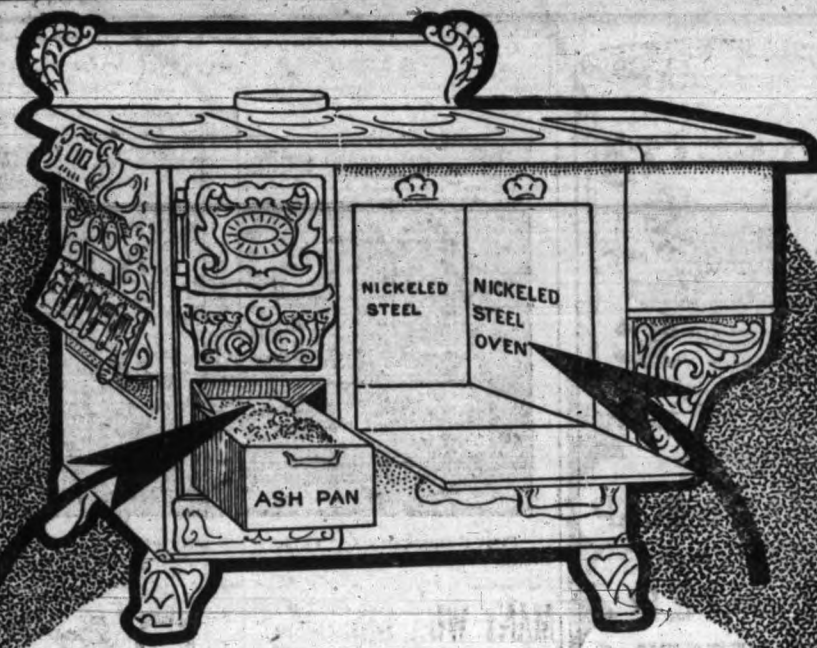
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Everyone who joins a Conservative association makes oath that he will do two things. He must pledge himself to support the "party right or wrong," and he must agree to "hear everything and bring reports to the executive but tell nothing that he hears within the sacred precincts." There are minor obligations, of course, but these two stand first. It has often been a source of wonder and curiosity to a Liberal rural to discover that what he has confided to his neighbor the day before is known next day to all his neighbors, but the explanation is that his confidant had heard everything, reported, and said nothing. He was in the sacred precincts. He was in the sacred precincts. He was in the sacred precincts.

Men are selected for positions of trust and responsibility not for their competency as road bosses nor because of any technical knowledge of the art or science of road making, but because they have had hearts of oak and glazards of steel, with the combined cowardice and courage necessary to carry out the system to its deplorable details. I have myself heard road bosses expatiate on the plainness of their inability to be placed down road gangs, that they knew the reason and could themselves apply the remedy. It is true the system is becoming intolerable even to those who operate it and are bound by it, at least by many of them. But the fact remains that it is the system, and the fact remains that it is the system, and the fact remains that it is the system.

government at the next election." I told him that I thought not only the Liberals of British Columbia but many Conservatives were growing tired of boss rule. He answered that he had been in the legislature two sessions and had seen few evidences of domination by the government heads. Then he confided in me that in caucus at the last session he himself had brought up the matter of the gossip abroad throughout the province that boss rule obtained. He declared his intention of "kicking up a dust" and showing signs of independence so as to close the mouths of those who declared every member of the legislature to be absolutely under the thumb of the ministers of the crown. He told me that Sir Richard McBride, as premier and leader of the house, had bidden him "go ahead" and kick up all the fuss he liked. Those who followed the course of the last legislative assembly in Victoria and recall that one or two members did venture some mild criticism of the government will be able to locate the man. My reply to this conclusive evidence of independence on the part of a member and tolerance of that independence by the "twin autocrats" was in the nature of a question: "It was this: 'Do you know what your constituents are saying about you?' He did not, and I had to tell him. 'They say,' said I, 'that since and because of your unfortunate show of independence all your appeals for appropriations for your constituency have met deaf ears.' I asked him how much pay had been appropriated to his constituency, and he regretfully answered, 'Not very much.' I told him also, what he did not appear to have heard, that his convention would not again nominate him as Conservative candidate for that constituency, and I told him that because one high up in the councils of his party had told me and had explained the reason why."

Of course I know there are strenuous efforts being made to deny that Bowser is the head of the government and that Sir Richard is its ornamental figurehead. I believe that, in the last resort, that is true. I do not think Bowser rules Sir Richard, but Sir Richard "views with calm indulgence," and only when, in caucus or council, it is necessary for him to save his face does he assert his authority as head of the government. Sir Richard has an ingenious and disingenuous way, when he is driven into a mesh from which he cannot gracefully extricate himself, of sending him how much pay had been appropriated to his constituency, and he regretfully answered, "Not very much." I told him also, what he did not appear to have heard, that his convention would not again nominate him as Conservative candidate for that constituency, and I told him that because one high up in the councils of his party had told me and had explained the reason why."



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Some posts into "thriving" cities and the "thriving" cities of "forts" which have become big communities—commencing with old Fort Garry, now Winnipeg—will soon include the name of Fort Fraser. Indeed the tide of northern development has already reached that favored spot swept by the waters of the Nechaco and a thriving settlement is established.

The "thriving" cities of the wild vegetation offers any criterion, then farming in this territory presents incalculably attractive possibilities," writes Mr. T. A. Talbot in his book, *The New Garden of Canada*, a work, by the way, which is recognized as a standard treatise. "The natural grasses," he writes, "grow to a height of eight to ten feet. Sugar cane grass and seven foot high red top at six feet, and timothy topping five feet, were quite common."

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brought about. Thus the success of the district has been established beyond all doubt, and the beauty of it is that there is room for a huge population. The splendid country is large

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October 4 is the birthday of the Rt. Rev. George Thornley, Bishop of Algoma, former rector of St. Peter, Sherbrooke, and canon of Quebec Cathedral, at Coventry, 1848; of Henry Frederick Bissett, who won high honors as a British commissioner in Africa, at Montreal, 1847; and of Dr. Charles William Edmund Body, theologian, who was provost and vice-chancellor of Trinity University, Toronto, 1881-94, at Clapham, Eng., 1851. On this date in 1896 the Hon. Amende Emmanuel Forget was appointed lieutenant-governor of the Northwest Territories, serving until 1905, when he became the first lieutenant-governor of the Northwest Territories, serving until 1905, when he became the first lieutenant-governor of Saskatchewan. It is the anniversary of the sending of the first message over the Canadian government telegraph line from Skagway.

Representatives of royalty, as well as actual kings, have often found it true that "uneasy lies the head that wears a crown"; and never was this more emphatically true than in Lower Canada during the fifteen years preceding the rebellion. Lord Gosford, for instance, who took the reins of government at Quebec in 1835, began his official career with an evident determination to conciliate the politicians and the people. Forcibly kind and courteous, he presided at all kinds of entertainments, gave to charities, and exercised hospitality on a large scale; but when it became known that he had not been empowered to redress the many grievances of the Canadians, all his civilities proved futile. The reform leader, Papineau, refused to be moved in the least degree from his hostile attitude, and the House of Assembly stood with him. When it met in September, 1838, it declined to do any business whatsoever, until some notice should be taken of the repeated demands for reform. In fact, "the House was on strike."

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and he hoped to see this work taken up

as part of the curriculum of mine op-

eration.

After the adoption of the report the

financial statement was read. The year

had started with a balance of \$121.43,

and the income had amounted to \$723.54.

At the date of striking the balance

sheet there was a balance on hand

of \$25.34, but since then \$20 had been

paid for supplies. From further figures

it appeared that the net debit

balance was \$18, but a sum of \$900 was

drawn from the school board towards the

training of teachers last winter. The

financial statement was approved.

Dr. Donald, on his re-election as

chairman, stated that, starting with no

funds, in a little over two years the

centre had conducted a number of ex-

aminations and placed the work on a

firm basis. Ambulance work was now

compulsory in the police department,

and the beginners were greatly encour-

aged by older men in the service, who

dropped in to aid in stretcher and

bandage work. Dr. Donald then pre-

sented some of the medals and certi-

ficates won in the various examina-

tions.

After the other officers had been

elected, appeal was made to the chair-

man to establish a civilian class. He

said that 25 names must be forthcom-

ing, and he hoped to see it started in

connection with the classes for the

winter which would begin at an early

THINKS NEW TARIFF MUTUALLY BENEFICIAL

Local Customs Inspector Talks on New Schedules Coming Into Force To-day

"The new tariff rate in the United States," said W. Marchant, inspector of customs, this morning, "affects British Columbia very little, and Vancouver Island hardly at all. Our exports to the States are very small. But the reduced tariff on certain commodities is very likely to affect beneficially the importations from the other side."

"For instance," continued Mr. Marchant, "the placing of raw wool on the free list will enable them to produce woollen goods a great deal more cheaply, and the better to compete in Canadian markets by giving greater opportunities."

"The exports affected in British Columbia," he continued, "are most likely to be lumber, coal and fish. I think this is a big step in our favor. Wood pulp also will have a better chance. It is my honest judgment that the new tariff is beneficial to Canada and will have a general effect of stimulating trade and to that extent will be of mutual benefit to both countries."

Asked whether the new returns would have any effect on the administration of the local customs, Mr. Marchant replied in the negative.

"Not at all," he replied. "The export side of our business is the only part it affects, and this is but an infinitesimal part of our work. If it were doubled or tripled it would need no enlargement of the staff. It is mostly informal. One thing we have to do, for instance, is to help the provincial government by seeing that certain types of logs are not exported, and that the exporters have permits from the district forester."

Mr. Marchant is of opinion that the coal industry will benefit more than anything on Vancouver Island, though the new schedule will give all shippers chance of a larger market.

"We do not produce cereals to any extent in this province, or else exportation would be considerably affected," he said.

"After all," concluded Mr. Marchant, "it is rather early to forecast the results of the amendments, but I think it is safe to say that they will be beneficial to both countries."

WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 4.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains abnormally high over the North Pacific Coast, and the weather is generally from the coast eastward to Manitoba, accompanied by frosts in the prairie provinces. Considerable rain has fallen in the southwestern states.

Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine to-day and Sunday, cold at night.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine to-day and Sunday, cold at night.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 55; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, 0; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 55; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, 0; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 55; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, 0; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 55; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, 0; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 55; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles N.W.; rain, 0; weather, cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 55; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, 0; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m. Friday:

Temperature.

Highest 54

Lowest 36

Average 45

Rain, .03 inch.

Bright sunshine, 2 hours 35 minutes.

General state of weather, fair.

MONEY AVAILABLE

Bank Vice-President States There is No Lack of Cash for Legitimate Enterprises.

That there is plenty of money for legitimate purposes, and that there is no scarcity so far as the banks are concerned is the opinion of R. T. Riley, vice-president of the Union Bank of Canada. Mr. Riley is on the coast on a combined business and pleasure trip. He stated yesterday that the people who were making the most fuss about not being able to secure money from the banks were those who really had no right to get it, and that those who had legitimate propositions were able to get almost all they required.

Mr. Riley thinks that the opening of the Panama canal will soon adjust any wrong conditions prevailing.

Girlish, Wrinkle-Free Skin Easy to Have

(From Pictorial Magazine.)

Since its remarkable astringent and tonic properties have been known, clever women all over the world have been using the salicylic face bath to "tone up" their faces, remove wrinkles and draw flabby cheeks and neck back to normal. After using the solution, the face immediately feels much firmer. The skin tightens evenly all over the face, thus reducing lines and sagging. The formula is: Powdered salicylic acid, 1 oz., dissolved in white wash, 1 pint.

Another wonderful facial beautifier and rejuvenator that has become quite a rage in the United States, as in Europe, is mercuric wash. Druggists report a great demand. The wash literally absorbs a salivary, blotchy or withered complexion, giving the fresh, vigorous, healthy-looking young skin underneath a chance to "breathe" and to show itself. Applying the wash at night, like cold cream, washing it off morning, will completely renovate a poor complexion in a week or ten days. One ounce usually is sufficient.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN EAT

For breakfast? Is it something that gives them ENERGY and STRENGTH and the essential ingredients for their growth and development without taxing the digestive powers? STUDY IS FATIGUING, so School Children should start the day right on a LARGE BOWL OF PORRIDGE made from

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This HEALTH FOOD is made by grinding the Pure Unadulterated Wheat by the OLD SWEDISH PROCESS which retains all the DELICIOUS NATURAL FLAVOR of the Wheat and enhances its bone and muscle-building qualities. For